

# **AGENDA**

# **ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING**

An Ordinary Meeting of the Shire of Halls Creek will be held at **4.30pm on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2024**in the Council Chambers, 7 Thomas Street Halls Creek.

Susan Leonard

**Chief Executive Officer** 

Susan Leonard

19<sup>th</sup> July 2024

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Agenda for the Ordinary Meeting of Council held 25 July 2024

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# **Notes for Members of the Public**

# **PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**

The Shire welcomes your questions and will continue to set aside a period of 'Public Question Time' to enable a member of the public to put questions to the Council. Questions should only relate to the business of the Shire and should not be a statement or personal opinion. Upon receipt of a question from a member of the public, the Presiding Member may either answer the question or direct it to an officer to answer, or it will be taken on notice.

Any comments made by a member of the public become a matter of public record as they are minuted by Council. Members of the public are advised that they are deemed to be held personally responsible and legally liable for any comments made by them that might be construed as defamatory or otherwise considered offensive by any other party.

# PRESENTING TO COUNCIL

Organisation and members of the public have the opportunity to present to Council at the Ordinary Council Meeting, however an application form must be completed, and the presentation must comply within the Shire Presentation guidelines. Application form and guidelines are available on the Shire website.

#### **2024 COUNCIL MEETING DATES**

The following Council Meeting dates and times have been resolved by Council.

| 15 August 2024    | Council Chamber, Halls Creek | 4.30pm |
|-------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| 19 September 2024 | Council Chamber, Halls Creek | 4.30pm |
| 17 October 2024   | Council Chamber, Halls Creek | 4.30pm |
| 14 November 2024  | Council Chamber, Halls Creek | 4.30pm |
| 19 December 2024  | Council Chamber, Halls Creek | 4.30pm |

#### **Notes for Elected Members**

#### **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Section 5.65 and 5.70 of the Local Government Act 1995 requires an Elected Member or officer who has an interest in any matter to be discussed at a Committee/Council Meeting that will be attended by the Elected Member or officer must disclose the nature of the interest in a written notice given to the Chief Executive Officer before the meeting; or at the meeting before the matter is discussed.

An Elected Member who makes a disclosure under section 5.65 or 5.70 must not preside at the part of the meeting relating to the matter; or participate in; or be present during, any discussion or decision-making procedure relating to the matter, unless allowed by the Committee/Council. If Committee/Council allow an Elected Member to speak, the extent of the interest must also be stated.

#### **DISCLAIMER**

The purpose of Council Meetings is to discuss, and where possible, make resolutions about items appearing on the agenda. Whilst Council has the power to resolve such items and may in fact, appear to have done so at the meeting, no person should rely on or act on the basis of such decision or on any advice or information provided by a Member or Officer, or on the content of any discussion occurring, during the course of the meeting.

Persons should be aware that the provisions of the Local Government Act 1995 (Section 5.25 (e)) establish procedures for revocation or rescission of a Council decision. No person should rely on the decisions made by Council until formal advice of the Council decision is received by that person. The Shire of Halls Creek expressly disclaims liability for any loss or damage suffered by any person as a result of relying on or acting on the basis of any resolution of Council, or any advice or information provided by a member or Officer, or the content of any discussion occurring, during the course of the Council meeting.

#### APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

In accordance with Section 2.25 of the *Local Government Act 1995*, an application for leave requires a Council resolution granting leave requested. Council may grant approval for Leave of Absence for an Elected Member for ordinary Council meetings for up to but not more than six consecutive meetings. The approval of the Minister is required for leave of absence greater than six ordinary Council meetings.

This approval must be by Council resolution and differs from the situation where an Elected Member records their apologies for the meeting. A failure to observe the requirements of the Act that relates to absence from meetings can lead to an Elected Member being disqualified should they be absent without leave for three consecutive meetings.

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#### **ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL**

#### **AGENDA**

# 1. DECLARATION OF OPENING / ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS

The meeting was opened at \_\_\_\_\_by President Malcom Edwards.

#### **DISCLAIMER**

No responsibility whatsoever is implied or accepted by the Shire of Halls Creek for any act, omission or statement or intimation occurring during this meeting.

It is strongly advised that persons do not act on what is heard at this meeting and should only rely on written confirmation of Council's decision, which will be provided within the minutes of this meeting.

# 2. RECORD OF ATTENDANCE/ LEAVE OF ABSENCE (PREVIOUSLY APPROVED)/ APOLOGIES/ LATE ARRIVALS

#### 2.1 Attendance

President
Deputy President
Councillors

Chief Executive Officer
Director Health & Regulatory Services
Director Youth & Community Development
Executive Manager Finance & Support Services
Executive Manager Infrastructure Services
Executive Assistant (Online)

Moore Australia Consultants

Cr Malcolm Edwards
Cr Patricia McKay
Cr Virginia O'Neil
Cr Bonnie Edwards
Cr Chris Loessl
Cr Rosemary Stretch
Cr Raymond Simpson

Susan Leonard Musa Mono Margaret Glass Muhammad Siddique Les Vidovich Dianne Hayes

#### 2.2 Leave of Absence (previously approved)

Nil.

# 2.3 Apologies

Nil.

#### 2.4 Late Arrivals

# 2.5 Declaration of Interests

| Councillor/Staff<br>Member | Item No. | Interest | Comments |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Nil                        |          |          |          |

# 3. RESPONSE TO PREVIOUS PUBLIC QUESTIONS TAKEN ON NOTICE

Nil.

4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Nil.

5. APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Nil.

6. PETITIONS / DEPUTATIONS / PRESENTATIONS

Nil.

#### 7. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Ordinary Council Meeting held 25 June 2024.

# Officer's Recommendation

That Council confirms the minutes of the Ordinary Council Meeting held 25 June 2024 as a true and accurate record.

**Note:** The minutes of the Council meeting listed above is provided under separate cover via <a href="https://www.hallscreek.wa.gov.au">www.hallscreek.wa.gov.au</a>

# 8. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY PRESIDING MEMBER WITHOUT DISCUSSION

There were no items for this section at the time of preparing the agenda.

# 9.1.1 Council to Rescind Resolution 2022/145 in relation to Policy A20 Employee Incentives

| ITEM NUMBER:            | 9.1.1                                |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| REPORTING OFFICER:      | Sue Leonard, Chief Executive Officer |
| SENIOR OFFICER          | Sue Leonard, Chief Executive Officer |
| MEETING DATE:           | 25 July 2024                         |
| DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST: | Nil                                  |

#### 1.0 Matter for Consideration

1.1 For Council to consider the rationale presented within this report and to rescind Policy A20 Employee Incentives from the Policy Manual. .

# 2.0 Background

- 2.1 At the Ordinary Council Meeting held 17 December 2022 a report was presented for the consideration and adoption of a new policy outlining a range of employee incentive measures.
- 2.2 The purpose of that policy was to formalise the circumstances under which employee incentives were to be issued to staff to ensure transparency and accountability of those incentives to be provided.
- 2.3 The incentive measures were as follows:
  - Commissions: in retail arms of the Shire, such as the Post Office, sales of retail products generate commissions payable annually to employees.
  - Training: for roles requiring specific training and upskilling, the Shire will invest in this and pay the full amount if the employee is retained for 12 months or more.
  - Study assistance: as outlined in Policy HR15 incentives and payments exist for education and study.
  - Performance based incentives: circumstances where employees performance is shown to bring the Shire measurable good will, financial benefit, and improve the standing of the Shire a performance bonus may be payable.
- 2.4 An assessment of this policy (A20) was undertaken against the *Local Government Act 1995*, the Local Government Regulations, and the operation of local governments in the not-for-profit space.

#### 3.0 Comments

3.1 While there is no explicit section contained within the *Local Government Act* 1995 or Local Government Regulations for consideration and issuing of employee incentives, the assessment undertaken revealed that there is

- poor rationale for the issuing of these incentives, particularly those of the financial nature.
- 3.2 It is the Officer's understanding that while not unheard of, the issuing of financial based incentives is extremely rare in the local government arena.
- 3.3 Local government authorities operate in a not-for-profit space, with the intention to provide services to the community in the most cost-effective way. The issuing of financial based incentives is not congruent with this ethos.
- 3.4 Staff salaries and wages are considered on (at least) an annual basis to ensure wages are paid in consideration of the relevant award, and that all allowances are taken into careful consideration. In many circumstances, staff are paid well above Award rates as a measure of retention and reward of service.
- 3.5 The issuing of employee incentives has the potential to create inequality across the Shire staff, which may lead to negative consequences.

# 4.0 Statutory Environment

#### 4.1 Local Government Act 1995

- Section 2.7(2) Provides that Council is to oversee the allocation of local government finances and resources and to determine the local government policies.
- Section 3.1 Provides that the general function of the local government is to provide for the good government of persons in its district.

# 5.0 Strategic Implications

- 5.1 Objective:
- 4. Civic: Working together to strengthen leadership and effective governance.
- 5.2 Outcome:
- Civic 4.9 Capacity for effective governance is established, maintained and enhanced.
- 5.3 Strategy:
- Civic 4.1.3 Council decisions are consistent, reliable and transparent

# 6.0 Policy Implications

6.1 If the Officer's recommendation is adopted, Policy A20 Employee Incentives will be removed from the Policy Manual.

#### 7.0 Financial Implications

7.1 Nil.

# 8.0 Sustainability Implications

# 8.1 Environmental

There are no significant identifiable environmental impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.2 Economic

There are no significant identifiable economic impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

# 8.3 Social

There are no significant identifiable social impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.4 Risk

| Event Likelihood / Impact Matrix |  |        |      |
|----------------------------------|--|--------|------|
| Likelihood (refer                | Impact (2) If the Policy is not rescinded the Shire may    |        |      |
| Potential Risk                   | retain a policy that presents limited applicability in the |        |      |
| Likelihood Guide)                | workplace and creates uncertainly around its application.  |        |      |
|                                  | Minor  | Medium | High |
| Low (unlikely)                   | 1  | 2      | 3    |
| Moderate (likely)                | 2  | 4      | 6    |
| High (very likely)               | 3  | 6      | 9    |

| Risk  |                                   |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| Low Risk                                    |                                   |
| a risk / activity with a score of 2 or less | manage by routine procedures      |
| Moderate Risk                               |                                   |
| a risk / activity with a score between 3    | N/A                               |
| or 4 more is moderate risk                  |                                   |
| High Risk                                   |                                   |
| a risk activity with a score of 6 or more   | N/A                               |
| is a high risk                              |                                   |
| Risk Control Measure                        | Adoption of the Officer's         |
|   | Recommendation to avoid the risk. |

#### 9.0 Officer Recommendation

#### **That Council:**

- 1. RESCIND Policy A20 Employee Incentives
- 2. DIRECT the CEO to remove the Policy from the Shire's Policy Manual.

**VOTING REQUIREMENT**: Absolute Majority

# **A20 EMPLOYEE INCENTIVES**

#### **Administration**

#### **PREAMBLE**

The purpose of this Policy is to formalise the circumstances under which employee incentives are issued to ensure transparency and accountability of those which are provided.

#### **OBJECTIVE**

Across the Shire there are several circumstances where employee incentives are afforded to employees. The purpose of employee incentives is to reward performance of employees within roles, to support the retention of performing employees, and to incentivise employees to perform above and beyond within their roles for the benefit of the Shire.

To ensure transparency and accountability of employee incentives, the following circumstances are considered to be employee incentives:

- Commissions: in retail arms of the Shire, such as the Post Office, sales of retail products generate commissions payable annually to employees.
- Training: for roles requiring specific training and upskilling, the Shire will invest in this and pay the full amount if the employee is retained for 12 months or more.
- Study assistance: as outlined in Policy HR15 incentives and payments exist for education and study.
- Performance based incentives: circumstances where employees performance is shown to bring the Shire measurable good will, financial benefit, and improve the standing of the Shire a performance bonus may be payable.

#### PRACTICE

At the discretion of the Chief Executive Officer, the above four circumstances warrant a reason to provide the described employee incentives. In the case of the study assistance, Policy HR15 must be followed with the appropriate paperwork submitted. In the case of the Chief Executive Officer receiving the incentive, this will be at the discretion of the Shire President.

**DELEGATION:** Chief Executive Officer

**HEAD OF POWER:** Local Government Act 1995

| Policy Number                       | A20 previously A 21                 |  |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Policy Section                      | Administration                      |  |
| Responsible Department              | Executive Office                    |  |
| <b>Adoption Resolution Number</b>   | 2022/145                            |  |
| Adoption Date                       | 17 December 2022                    |  |
| <b>Review Date &amp; Resolution</b> | 27 July 2023 (Resolution no. 2023/) |  |

# 9.1.2 Shire of Halls Creek Policy Improvement Plan - Adoption

| ITEM NUMBER:            | 9.1.2                                |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| REPORTING OFFICER:      | Sue Leonard, Chief Executive Officer |
| SENIOR OFFICER          | Sue Leonard, Chief Executive Officer |
| MEETING DATE:           | 25 July 2024                         |
| DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST: | Nil                                  |

#### 1.0 Matter for Consideration

1.1 For Council to consider and adopt the appended Shire of Halls Creek Policy Improvement Plan (appendix 1) as a means of guiding the review, update, and development of policies for the Shire of Halls Creek over the next two years.

# 2.0 Background

- 2.1 The Policy Improvement Plan (Plan) represents a critical step in ensuring the Council's policies remain effective, relevant, and aligned with its strategic goals. It is necessary to review the policies regularly to capture legislative changes, organisational changes, and/or changes of the positions of the elected members.
- 2.2 This Plan is designed to guide the update, review, and development of new policies over the next two years. The first year will be dedicated to the review of all Council policies, and the second year will be dedicated to the development of new policies that have been identified as required.
- 2.3 The Council's policies direct and control the Shire's operations, providing the framework for decision-making, resource allocation, and service delivery. As the community evolves and new challenges emerge, it is imperative that our policies adapt accordingly.
- 2.4 The current policies, having been modified and updated over time, have become fragmented, with outdated policies lacking consistency and clarity. These issues reduce efficiency, create confusion for the community, and potentially lead to inconsistent implementation.
- 2.5 The absence of a structured approach to policy development has resulted in ad-hoc responses to emerging issues, rather than proactive policy development. This Plan aims to address these challenges by establishing a consistent and transparent framework for policy management.
- 2.6 The Plan will ensure a systematic review of existing policies, promoting alignment with the Council's strategic objectives. The Plan will also introduce a streamlined process for developing new policies, incorporating community engagement and stakeholder consultation to ensure inclusivity and relevance.
- 2.7 The Plan will strengthen the Council's capacity to respond effectively to future challenges, enhance service delivery, and ensure accountability to the community.

2.8 As shown in the appended Policy Improvement Plan, the review of policies is staggered over the first year, which will see 50 policies reviewed. In the second year, an estimated 12 policies will be developed.

#### 3.0 Comments

3.1 This Plan will give each directorate the overarching structure and timeline to perform the reviews. While this is a large body of work, this will ensure that within one year the Policy Manual will be current, effective, clear and concise.

# 4.0 Statutory Environment

#### 4.1 Local Government Act 1995

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# 5.0 Strategic Implications

- 5.1 Objective:
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- 5.2 Outcome:

Civic - 4.9 Capacity for effective governance is established, maintained and enhanced

5.3 Strategy:

Civic - 4.1.3 Council decisions are consistent, reliable and transparent

# **6.0 Policy Implications**

6.1 All reviewed policies will be provided back to Council for adoption and inclusion in the Policy Manual.

# 7.0 Financial Implications

7.1 Nil.

# 8.0 Sustainability Implications

# 8.1 Environmental

There are no significant identifiable environmental impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

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# 8.3 Social

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#### 8.4 Risk

| Event Likelihood / Impact Matrix |   |   |   |
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Likelihood (refer                | Impact (4) If the policies are not reviewed to reflect    |   |   |
| Potential Risk                   | legislative changes, organisational changes, and Council  |   |   |
| Likelihood Guide)                | changes, there is a risk that the Shire operations may be |   |   |
|                                  | unclear and inconsistent.                                 |   |   |
|                                  | Minor Medium High   |   |   |
| Low (unlikely)                   | 1   | 2 | 3 |
| Moderate (likely)                | 2   | 4 | 6 |
| High (very likely)               | 3   | 6 | 9 |

| Risk  |  |
|---|--|
| Low Risk  |  |
| a risk / activity with a score of 2 or less                         | N/A  |
| Moderate Risk   |  |
| a risk / activity with a score between 3 or 4 more is moderate risk | specific control measure(s) and management responsibility assigned to manage the risk within risk criteria |
| High Risk   |  |
| a risk activity with a score of 6 or more is a high risk            | N/A  |
| Risk Control Measure  | Adoption of the Officer's Recommendation to avoid the risk.  |

#### 9.0 Officer Recommendation

# **That Council:**

**ENDORSES** the Policy Improvement Plan as included in Appendix 9.1.2A.

**VOTING REQUIREMENT**: Simple Majority

Appendix:

9.1.2A - Policy Improvement Plan



# Shire of Halls Creek Policy Improvement Plan

| Policy<br>Number | Policy Title   | Action  | Notes  | Policy Owner | Completion Date | Priority |
|------------------|--|---|--|--------------|-----------------|----------|
| A1A              | Code of Conduct for<br>Council Members,<br>Committee members<br>and Candidates | 1. Mainly grammatical   | <ul> <li>Current Policy meet the needs of the Shire and elected members</li> <li>Review within 12 months to correct grammatical issues and improve readability</li> </ul>                                    | CEO          | 31 July 2025    | Low      |
| A1B              | Employee Code of<br>Conduct  | <ol> <li>Address inconsistencies in Policy as per tracked changes</li> <li>CEO to develop Code of Conduct to clearly articulate how employees conduct themselves while working for or representing the Shire of Halls Creek</li> </ol>                  | <ul> <li>CEO maintains gift register</li> <li>Further work required in the development of the code of conduct and will include consultation with staff to increase their understanding and buy in</li> </ul> | CEO          | December 2024   | Medium   |
| A2               | Customer Service<br>Charter  | <ol> <li>A policy and handbook exist.</li> <li>Review the Customer Service         Handbook to ensure it is reflective of         the policy and Commonwealth/State         strategic directions with regard client         focused delivery</li> </ol> | Prior to the review, have customer facing staff members contribute to the updates and changes.   | EMCS         | 31 July 2025    | Low      |

| A3 | Aboriginal Employment                                     | <ol> <li>Policy is clunky and not politically correct in relation to terminology.</li> <li>Page 37 of the policy indices that a mentoring program for Aboriginal employees needs to be established.</li> <li>Requirement for biennial report to Council</li> </ol> | <ul> <li>Confirm that the mentoring program is in place or in development.</li> <li>Has a report been submitted since this policy was established?</li> <li>Identification of risk to the organisation using incorrect terminology</li> <li>Is there a template available.</li> <li>Who is the owner of this report?</li> </ul> | CEO | 31 October 2025     | Medium |
|----|---|--|---|-----|---------------------|--------|
| A6 | Complaint handling  | <ol> <li>A fairly robust complaints         management policy though dense in         information.</li> <li>Review against Australian Standards         on complaints handling, Fair Work         and Ombudsman approach to         complaints handling</li> </ol> | <ul> <li>Some flow charts and tables might break up the information</li> <li>Where is the complaints register?</li> <li>Do procedures exist to provide guidance as per page 44</li> </ul>   | CEO | 31 December<br>2024 | Medium |
| A7 | Disability Access and<br>Inclusion                        | Review language used for people with disability, ie people living with disability, people living with varied abilities   | Consider creating     accompanying     procedure for the     handling of the     reporting component  | CEO | 31 January 2025     | Low    |
| A8 | Legal Advice,<br>representation and Cost<br>reimbursement | <ol> <li>To what extent does this need to link with complaints management</li> <li>Given that we have engaged a legal firm, are there changes required to this policy</li> </ol>   | <ul> <li>Assessment required for currency and relevance in light of the new contract.</li> <li>Consider creating accompanying</li> </ul>  | CEO | 28 February 2025    | Low    |

|     |   | 3. | What should an assessment look like in relation to determining at what   | procedure to address<br>the engagement of legal   |          |                  |        |
|-----|---|----|--|---|----------|------------------|--------|
|     |   |    | point legal advice is required?  | services in the future.   |          |                  |        |
| A9  | Liquor Control                          | 1. | Review policy against potential changes to liquor act and District liquor restrictions   |   | CEO      | 30 June 2025     | Low    |
| A10 | Native Title                            | 1. | Confirm if policy is up to date in terms of the claims and approach to finalizing. Also review how native title will need to be considered in land development   |   | DHRS/CEO | 30 June 2025     | Low    |
| A11 | Procurement of Goods<br>and Services    |    | This is a comprehensive policy. Some components may be better in a procurement framework. Review to confirm requirement for procurement strategy and procurement plan, tender documentation, applications, tender assessment templates and contract management plan.   | Assessment required to determine whether additional procedures are required to support the procurement space.   | EMCS     | 28 February 2025 | Medium |
| A12 | Procurement – regional price preference | 1. | Review to determine currency   |   | EMCS     | 30 April 2025    | Low    |
| A13 | Primary and Secondary<br>Documents      | 1. | This policy has not been updated since 2019/2020. It needs a review but also consideration to its existence given the requirements of the organisation. A governance framework would better articulate all documentation required for effective direction and control. | <ul> <li>Multiple documents         contained within this         policy do not exist</li> <li>Greater investigation         required to ensure this         Policy is correct</li> </ul> | CEO      | 31 March 2025    | Medium |
| A14 | Public Interest<br>Disclosure           | 1. | Review to determine currency   | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to</li> </ul>  | CEO      | 31 July 2025     | Low    |

| A15 | Records Management            | A comprehensive policy but needs review to determine currency given addition of legislation to protect privacy   | demonstrate best practice in approaching this policy.  • Engagement suggested to occur with the Records Manager in the requirement to                         | EMCS     | 30 June 2025         | Low    |
|-----|-------------------------------|--|---|----------|----------------------|--------|
| A16 | Refreshments                  | Review to determine currency   | implement new changes.  • Assess against other  | EMCS/CEO | 31 May 2025          | Low    |
|     |                               |  | Local Government Policy frameworks to demonstrate best practice in approaching this policy.   |          |                      |        |
| A17 | Risk Management               | 1. A Risk Management Framework is required which clearly articulates risk culture, risk categories, risk appetite, risk tolerance, risk assessment, risk management, risk treatment and reporting risk | <ul> <li>Investigation into new<br/>systems that are<br/>available for the<br/>capture, recording, and<br/>management of<br/>reported risks.</li> </ul>       | CEO      | 30 September<br>2024 | Medium |
| A18 | Indigenous Business<br>Agenda | Review to determine currency   | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government</li> <li>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul> | EMCS     | 31 May 2025          | Low    |
| A19 | Staff Housing                 | <ol> <li>Review to determine currency</li> <li>Update rental agreement template</li> <li>Confirm existence of tenant<br/>handbook</li> <li>Establish housing maintenance<br/>schedule</li> </ol>       | <ul> <li>Articulation on allocation of resources to this function within the Shire.</li> <li>Consideration of development of</li> </ul>                       | EMIS     | 31 January 2025      | Medium |

|     |                                    | 5. Develop Housing Strategy     | accompanying procedures to support the Policy.  |      |               |      |
|-----|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|------|---------------|------|
| A20 | Employee Incentives                | 1. Rescind policy               | <ul> <li>Proposed to be<br/>removed from the<br/>Policy Manual</li> </ul>   | CEO  | 25 July 2024  | High |
| F1  | Corporate Credit Cards-<br>Use     | 1. Review to determine currency | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government</li> <li>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>                     | EMCS | 31 May 2025   | Low  |
| F2  | Fees and Charges-<br>Discounts     | 1. Review to determine currency | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government</li> <li>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>                     | EMCS | 31 May 2025   | Low  |
| F3  | Financial Investments              | 1. Review to determine currency | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government</li> <li>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>                     | EMCS | 31 May 2025   | Low  |
| F4  | Rates – Procedure for unpaid rates | 1. Review to determine currency | <ul> <li>Assess against other         Local Government         Policy frameworks to         demonstrate best         practice in approaching         this policy.     </li> </ul> | EMCS | 30 April 2025 | Low  |
| F5  | Write offs                         | 1. Review to determine currency | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to</li> </ul>  | EMCS | 30 April 2025 | Low  |

| F6 | Donations Concessions<br>Grants               | Review to determine currency                                     | demonstrate best practice in approaching this policy.  • Assess against other Local Government Policy frameworks to demonstrate best practice in approaching  | EMCS/CEO | 30 April 2025   | Low |
|----|---|--|---|----------|-----------------|-----|
| G1 | Council Member<br>Induction                   | Review against recent amendment to LGA 1995 and reform agenda    | <ul> <li>this policy.</li> <li>Consider         implementation of a         training schedule for the         communication of         changes to elected         members.</li> <li>Establish statutory         reporting schedule</li> </ul> | CEO      | 31 January 2025 | Low |
| G2 | Council Member<br>Initiated Request           | Review against recent amendment to<br>LGA 1995 and reform agenda | <ul> <li>Consider         implementation of a         training schedule for the         communication of         changes to elected         members.</li> </ul>   | CEO      | 31 January 2025 | Low |
| G3 | Council Member<br>Training and<br>Development | Review against recent amendment to<br>LGA 1995 and reform agenda | <ul> <li>Consider<br/>implementation of a<br/>training schedule for the<br/>communication of<br/>changes to elected<br/>members.</li> </ul>   | CEO      | 31 January 2025 | Low |
| G4 | Council Member –<br>Provision of Support      | Review against recent amendment to<br>LGA 1995 and reform agenda | <ul> <li>Consider<br/>implementation of a<br/>training schedule for the<br/>communication of</li> </ul>   | CEO      | 31 March 2025   | Low |

|     |  |   | changes to elected<br>members.  |        |                      |      |
|-----|--|---|---|--------|----------------------|------|
| G5  | Council Meetings –<br>Visitors, Delegations<br>and Petitions | Review against recent amendment to LGA 1995 and reform agenda   | <ul> <li>Consider<br/>implementation of a<br/>training schedule for the<br/>communication of<br/>changes to elected<br/>members.</li> </ul>                   | CEO    | 31 March 2025        | Low  |
| G6  | Council Meetings –<br>Public Question Time                   | Review against recent amendment to LGA 1995 and reform agenda   | <ul> <li>Consider<br/>implementation of a<br/>training schedule for the<br/>communication of<br/>changes to elected<br/>members.</li> </ul>                   | CEO    | 31 March 2025        | Low  |
| G7  | Recognition Awards and<br>Honorary Shire<br>Freeman Status   | Review against recent amendment to LGA 1995 and reform agenda   | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government</li> <li>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul> | CEO    | 30 June 2025         | Low  |
| G8  | Regional Cooperation and Services                            | 1. Review to determine currency   | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government</li> <li>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul> | CEO    | 30 June 2025         | Low  |
| HR1 | OSH  | <ol> <li>A review of Shire OSH requirements under the WHS Act 2020 is critical.</li> <li>Engage LGIS to conduct an assessment of OSH, develop WHS Transition Plan and support Shire with development of policies required to ensure safety of staff,</li> </ol> | Liaise with LGIS to ensure Policy updates are best practice and meet statutory requirements.  | CEO/HR | 30 September<br>2024 | High |

| HR2 | Equal Opportunity and harassment                     | council, contractors, stakeholders and community members participating in Shire facilities and programs  1. This policy needs to be aligned with new anti discrimination and sexual harassment law | <ul> <li>Liaise with LGIS/legal<br/>services to ensure Policy<br/>updates are best<br/>practice and meet</li> </ul>   | CEO/HR | 31 October 2024     | Medium |
|-----|--|--|---|--------|---------------------|--------|
| HR3 | CEO – HR Management                                  | Review against recent LGA amendments   | statutory requirements.  • Assess against other Local Government Policy frameworks to demonstrate best practice in approaching this policy.                                       | CEO/HR | 31 December<br>2024 | Medium |
| HR4 | CEO – Recruitment,<br>performance and<br>termination | Review against recent LGA     amendments   | Assess against other     Local Government     Policy frameworks to     demonstrate best     practice in approaching     this policy.  | CEO/HR | 31 December<br>2024 | Medium |
| HR5 | CEO – Leave<br>applications and<br>approvals         | 1. Review for currency   | Assess against other     Local Government     Policy frameworks to     demonstrate best     practice in approaching     this policy.  | CEO    | 30 November<br>2024 | Medium |
| HR6 | Acting CEO   | 1. Review for currency   | <ul> <li>Assess against other         Local Government         Policy frameworks to         demonstrate best         practice in approaching         this policy.     </li> </ul> | CEO    | 30 November<br>2024 | Medium |

| HR7  | Relocation expenses                               | Review for currency and align to contracts | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>      | CEO/HR | 31 May 2025     | Low    |
|------|---|--|---|--------|-----------------|--------|
| HR8  | Superannuation                                    | 1. Review for currency                     | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>      | EMCS   | 31 May 2025     | Low    |
| HR9  | Termination payments                              | Review for currency and align to contracts | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government</li> <li>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul> | EMCS   | 31 May 2025     | Low    |
| HR10 | Appointments<br>authorized officers by<br>CEO     | Review for currency and align to contracts | <ul> <li>Numerous roles have<br/>changed and needs to<br/>be updated to reflect<br/>new structure</li> </ul>  | CEO    | 31 August 2024  | High   |
| HR11 | Common Benefits for<br>Permanent Employees        | Review for currency and align to contracts | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>      | HR     | 31 October 2024 | Medium |
| HR12 | Smoke Free – Shire<br>workplaces and<br>buildings | 1. Review for currency                     | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best</li> </ul>   | HR     | 31 May 2025     | Low    |

|      |                                 |  | practice in approaching this policy.  |      |                 |     |
|------|---------------------------------|--|---|------|-----------------|-----|
| HR13 | Vehicle – Private use           | Review for currency and align to contracts | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>                          | EMIS | 31 January 2025 | Low |
| RS1  | Building Permit<br>Applications | 1. Review for currency                     | <ul> <li>Assess against other         Local Government         Policy frameworks to         demonstrate best         practice in approaching         this policy.     </li> </ul> | DHRS | 31 March 2025   | Low |
| RS2  | Cat ownership limit             | 1. Review for currency                     | <ul> <li>Assess against other         Local Government         Policy frameworks to         demonstrate best         practice in approaching         this policy.     </li> </ul> | DHRS | 31 March 2025   | Low |
| RS3  | Dog Control- Attacks            | 1. Review for currency                     | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul>                          | DHRS | 31 March 2025   | Low |
| RS4  | Dog Ownership                   | Review for currency                        | Assess against other     Local Government     Policy frameworks to     demonstrate best     practice in approaching     this policy.  | DHRS | 30 April 2025   | Low |

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| RS5           | Bushfire Prohibited/restricted burning periods | 1. Review for currency   | <ul> <li>Assess against other<br/>Local Government<br/>Policy frameworks to<br/>demonstrate best<br/>practice in approaching<br/>this policy.</li> </ul> | DHRS | 30 April 2025        | Low    |
|---------------|--|--|--|------|----------------------|--------|
| Additional Po | licies   |  | •  |      | <u>.</u>             |        |
| IS1           | Infrastructure –<br>Strategic Asset Plan       | 1. To be developed   |  | EMIS | 31 August 2025       | Medium |
| IS2           | Asset Disposal Plan                            | 1. To be developed   |  | EMIS | 31 August 2025       | Medium |
| IS3           | Asset Management<br>Framework                  | 1. To be developed   |  | EMIS | 30 September<br>2025 | Medium |
| Governance    | Compliance<br>Management                       | 1. To be developed   |  | CEO  | 31 October 2025      | Medium |
| Governance    | Engaging with the<br>Media                     | 1. To be developed   |  | CEO  | 31 October 2025      | Medium |
| RS6           | Planning approvals and VGR Policy              | 1. To be developed   |  | DHRS | 31 August 2025       | Medium |
| RS7           | Pool management                                | 1. To be developed   |  | DYCD | 31 August 2025       | Medium |
|               | Duty of Care to Minors                         | 1. To be developed   |  | DYCD | 30 September<br>2025 | Medium |
|               | Child Safety                                   | 1. To be developed   |  | DCYD | 30 September<br>2025 | Medium |
| Governance    | Emergency<br>Management                        | 1. To be developed   |  | EMCS | 30 September<br>2025 | Medium |
| Governance    | Communication and<br>Engagement<br>Framework   | <ol> <li>Development underway.</li> <li>Community consultation required.</li> <li>Final Council endorsement required.</li> </ol> |  | CEO  | 31 August 2024       | High   |

#### 9.2 HEALTH & REGULATORY SERVICES

# 9.2.1 Application - Planning Approval - Construction of Dialysis Clinic and Staff Houses in Balgo Community

| ITEM NUMBER:            | 9.2.1                                   |
|-------------------------|---|
| REPORTING OFFICER:      | Musa Mono, Director Health & Regulatory |
|                         | Services                                |
| SENIOR OFFICER          | Susan Leonard, Chief Executive Officer  |
| MEETING DATE:           | 25 July 2024                            |
| DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST: | Nil                                     |

#### 1.0 Matter for Consideration

1.1 For Council to consider a planning application for the construction of a 4 chair Dialysis clinic at 172 Kaaku Close and 2 x 2 bedroomed staff houses for the clinic at 11 and 12 Station Circuit, Balgo Community.

# 2.0 Background

- 2.1 Both 172 Kaaku Close, 11 and 12 Station Circuit are all located in Lot 21 P219593, Reserve 46573, which is under the management of the Aboriginal Lands Trust. The management order contains condition with power to lease for any term not exceeding 99 years. (Appendix 9.2.1A).
- 2.2 The Lease and Sub-Lease documents between Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation, the main lease holder, and Western Desert (Purple House) were lodged at Landgate on 6 February 2024. An email from the Department of Planning Lands and Heritage to the CEO at Wirrimanu advises that the documents will be registered against the Crown Land Titles and the 'Duplicate' copies of the Lease and Sub-Lease sent to the Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation.

# 3.0 Comments

Description of proposal

- 3.1 The applicant seeks approval to,
  - construct a 4 chair Renal Dialysis Clinic at 172 Kaaku Close. (see appendix 2 – building plans) The clinic also consists of a nurses station, water treatment room, utility rooms, laundry, staff and patient/public toilet facilities, store rooms and a kitchenette.
  - Construct 2 by 2 bedroomed dwellings to provide staff accommodation for the dialysis clinic, at 11 and 12 Station Circuit. (See appendix 3 – building plans)

Planning framework

3.2 The subject site, Lot 21 on P219593, Reserve 46573, is zoned 'Settlement' under the Shire of Halls Creek Local Planning Scheme No. 2 (the Scheme).

Pursuant to Clause 16 of the Scheme, the objectives of the Settlement zone are to plan for the orderly and proper development of existing and proposed Aboriginal settlements by:

- requiring the preparation and endorsement of a layout plan in accordance with State Planning Policy 3.2 Aboriginal Settlements (SPP 3.2); and
- ensuring that development accords with a layout plan.
- 3.3 **172 Kaaku Close** The clinic site is zoned 'Community' use according to the Balgo Layout Plan 3 2005 Amendment 11(2022), (Balgo LP3). The development of the clinic on this site accords with Balgo LP3 (See extract of the layout plan below).



**Houses at 11 and 12 Station Circuit** – are zoned 'Residential' under Balgo LP3. The development of dwelling for nursing staff therefore accords with Balgo LP3 (See extract of the layout plan below).



3.4 Balgo Community is in the Bushfire prone area according to the WA Bushfire prone areas map. A BAL Assessment conducted in accordance with AS3959 is required for any development in this Reserve.

#### Consultation

- 3.5 The applicant consulted and obtained letters of support and/or consent from;
  - 3.5.1 Tjurabalan Native Title Land Aboriginal Corporation (RNTBC), dated 30 January 2023.
  - 3.5.2 Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation, dated 29 April 2021.
  - 3.5.3 The application was referred to the Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation on receipt. The Corporation sent a copy of the letter dated 29 April 2021 in response. (See appendix 4)

# 4.0 Statutory Environment

# 4.1 Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015

Clause 67 of the deemed provisions of the *Planning and Development (Local Planning Scheme) Regulations 2015* stipulates matters which are to be considered by a local government in considering a development application. These include, inter alia, consistency with the prevailing statutory framework as well as impacts on the amenity of the locality including local character. This proposed development is consistent with existing community facilities and residential development in the Community.

#### 4.2 Local Government Act 1995

- Section 2.7(2) Provides that Council is to oversee the allocation of local government finances and resources and to determine the local government policies.
- Section 3.1 Provides that the general function of the local government is to provide for the good government of persons in its district.

# 5.0 Strategic Implications

#### 5.1 Objective:

1. Social: Vibrant and connected communities. We support cultural and language diversity.

#### 5.2 Outcome:

Social - 1.6 To encourage and promote family responsibility

### 5.3 Strategy:

Social - 1.6.1 Support local community programs working with families

# 6.0 Policy Implications

Nil.

# 7.0 Financial Implications

Nil.

# 8.0 Sustainability Implications

#### 8.1 Environmental

There are no significant identifiable environmental impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.2 Economic

There are no significant identifiable economic impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.3 Social

In the Shire of Halls Creek Ordinary Council Meeting held on 18 June 2018, residents presented a petition requesting for the provision of renal dialysis services in Halls Creek to:

- Prevent family disruptions caused by separation when patient seek renal dialysis services
- reduce the social and emotional wellbeing adverse impacts of leaving country and not accessing support from family
- reduce adverse social impacts that result from families leaving country to follow patients seeking treatment in large urban centres.

#### 8.4 Risk

| <b>Event Likelihood</b> / | Impact Matrix                              |        |      |  |  |
|---------------------------|--|--------|------|--|--|
| Likelihood (refer         | Impact (refer Potential Risk Impact Guide) |        |      |  |  |
| Potential Risk            |  | ·      |      |  |  |
| Likelihood Guide)         |  |        |      |  |  |
|                           | Minor                                      | Medium | High |  |  |
| Low (unlikely)            | 1  | 2      | 3    |  |  |
| Moderate (likely)         | 2  | 4      | 6    |  |  |
| High (very likely)        | 3  | 6      | 9    |  |  |

| Risk   |                 |
|--|-----------------|
| Low Risk                                     |                 |
| a risk / activity with a score of 2 or less  | N/A             |
| Moderate Risk                                |                 |
| a risk / activity with a score between 3 or  | N/A             |
| 4 more is moderate risk                      |                 |
| High Risk                                    |                 |
| a risk activity with a score of 6 or more is | Choose an item. |
| a high risk                                  |                 |
| Risk Control Measure                         |                 |

# 9.0 Officer Recommendation

#### That Council:

**APPROVES the planning application for the construction of:** 

- 1. A Dialysis Clinic at 172 Kaaku Close, Lot 21 on DP219593, and
- 2. 2 x 2 bedroomed dwellings at 11 and 12 Station Circuit, Lot 21 on DP219593:

Subject to the following conditions and advice notes;

#### **Conditions:**

- 1. A Bush Fire Attach Level Assessment must be submitted to the Shire of Halls Creek before building permit applications are processed.
- 2. Development must be carried out in compliance with the plans and documentation listed and endorsed with the Council's stamp, except where amended by other conditions of this approval.
- 3. All car parking and associated vehicle access areas indicated on the approved plan shall be constructed, drained, sealed and marked in accordance with AS2890.1 prior to use, and thereafter maintained to the satisfaction of the Shire of Halls Creek.

# **Advice Notes:**

- 4. All development must comply with the provisions of the Health Act and Regulations, the Building Code of Australia and all other relevant Acts, Regulations and Local Laws. This includes the provision of access and facilities for people with disabilities in accordance with the Building Code of Australia.
- 5. The applicant is reminded of its obligation under the *Building* Act 2011.

# **VOTING REQUIREMENT**: Simple Majority

#### Appendix:

- 9.2.1A Certificate of Title
- 9.2.1B Proposed Renal Dialysis Clinic Architectural Plans
- 9.2.1C Proposed Dwelling Architectural Plans
- 9.2.1D Consultation Support and Consent Letters

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AUSTRALIA

REGISTER NUMBER

21/DP219593

DUPLICATE EDITION

N/A

N/A

N/A

VOLUME LR3081

FOLIO **361** 

# RECORD OF CERTIFICATE OF CROWN LAND TITLE

UNDER THE TRANSFER OF LAND ACT 1893 AND THE LAND ADMINISTRATION ACT 1997

#### NO DUPLICATE CREATED

The undermentioned land is Crown land in the name of the STATE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA, subject to the interests and Status Orders shown in the first schedule which are in turn subject to the limitations, interests, encumbrances and notifications shown in the second schedule.



#### LAND DESCRIPTION:

LOT 21 ON DEPOSITED PLAN 219593

#### STATUS ORDER AND PRIMARY INTEREST HOLDER:

(FIRST SCHEDULE)

STATUS ORDER/INTEREST: RESERVE UNDER MANAGEMENT ORDER

PRIMARY INTEREST HOLDER: ABORIGINAL LANDS TRUST OF 197 ST GEORGES TERRACE, PERTH

(XE H770828) REGISTERED 7/6/2001

# LIMITATIONS, INTERESTS, ENCUMBRANCES AND NOTIFICATIONS:

(SECOND SCHEDULE)

| 1. | H770827 | RESERVE 46573 FOR THE PURPOSE OF USE AND BENEFIT OF ABORIGINAL INHABITANTS |
|----|---------|--|
|    |         | REGISTERED 7/6/2001.   |

H770828 MANAGEMENT ORDER. CONTAINS CONDITIONS TO BE OBSERVED. WITH POWER TO LEASE FOR ANY TERM NOT EXCEEDING 99 YEARS. REGISTERED 7/6/2001.

M051664 THE CORRECT ADDRESS OF THE PRIMARY INTEREST HOLDER IS NOW GROUD FLOOR, 151 ROYAL STREET, EAST PERTH. REGISTERED 19/9/2012.

- 2. M051664 LEASE TO WIRRIMANU ABORIGINAL CORPORATION OF PMB 7, HALLS CREEK EXPIRES: SEE LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY. REGISTERED 19/9/2012.
- 3. M346554 LEASE TO KIMBERLEY ABORIGINAL MEDICAL SERVICES COUNCIL INC OF LOT 640 DORA
  - STREET, BROOME EXPIRES: SEE LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY. REGISTERED 19/7/2013.

    N852369 TRANSFER OF LEASE M346554, LESSEE NOW KIMBERLEY ABORIGINAL MEDICAL SERVICES LIMITED OF 12 NAPIER TCE. BROOME WA 6725 REGISTERED 15/3/2018.
- 4. N065167 LEASE TO WIRRIMANU ABORIGINAL CORPORATION OF PMB 7 BALGO COMMUNITY HALLS
  - CREEK EXPIRES: SEE LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY. REGISTERED 17/7/2015.

    N302336 SUB-LEASE OF LEASE N065167 TO WIRRIMANU COMMUNITY STORE ABORIGINAL
    COPORATION OF PMB BALGO COMMUNITY, HALLS CREEK WA 6770 EXPIRES: SEE SUB

LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY REGISTERED 15/4/2016.

N302337 MORTGAGE OF LEASE N302336 TO OUTBACK STORES PTY LTD REGISTERED 15/4/2016.

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5. N696723 LEASE TO WIRRIMANU ABORIGINAL CORPORATION OF PMB 7 BALGO COMMUNITY HALLS CREEK WA 6770 EXPIRES: SEE LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY REGISTERED 15/8/2017.

6. N696726 LEASE TO WIRRIMANU ABORIGINAL CORPORATION OF PMB 7 BALGO COMMUNITY HALLS

CREEK WA 6770 EXPIRES: SEE LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY REGISTERED 15/8/2017. LEASE TO WIRRIMANU ABORIGINAL CORPORATION OF PMB 7 BALGO COMMUNITY HALLS

CREEK WA 6770 EXPIRES: SEE LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY REGISTERED 15/8/2017.

8. N696732 LEASE TO WIRRIMANU ABORIGINAL CORPORATION OF PMB 7 BALGO COMMUNITY HALLS

CREEK WA 6770 EXPIRES: SEE LEASE. AS TO PORTION ONLY REGISTERED 15/8/2017.

Warning: A current search of the sketch of the land should be obtained where detail of position, dimensions or area of the lot is required.

Lot as described in the land description may be a lot or location.

#### -----END OF CERTIFICATE OF CROWN LAND TITLE-----

#### **STATEMENTS:**

The statements set out below are not intended to be nor should they be relied on as substitutes for inspection of the land and the relevant documents or for local government, legal, surveying or other professional advice.

SKETCH OF LAND: DP219593 PREVIOUS TITLE: 1324-960

7.

N696727

PROPERTY STREET ADDRESS: LOT 21 BALGO RD, TANAMI. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORITY: SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK

RESPONSIBLE AGENCY: DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, LANDS AND HERITAGE (SALT)

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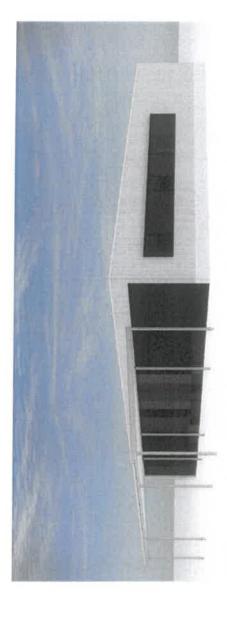
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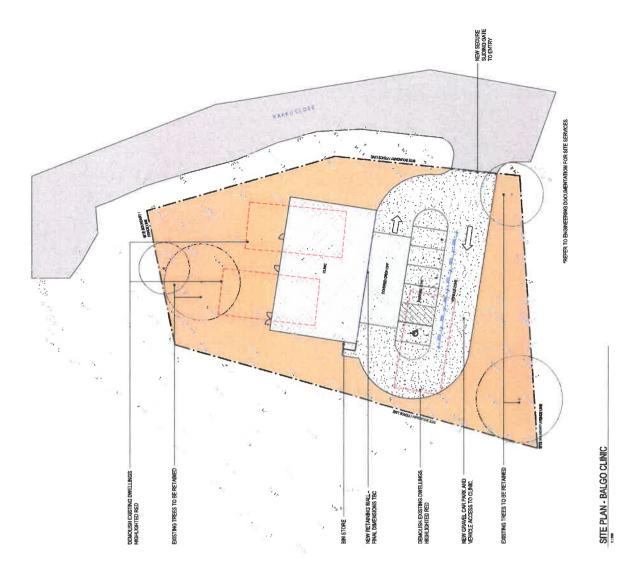
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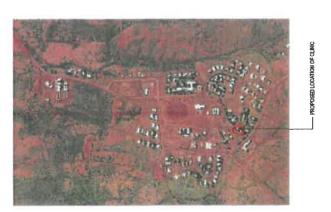
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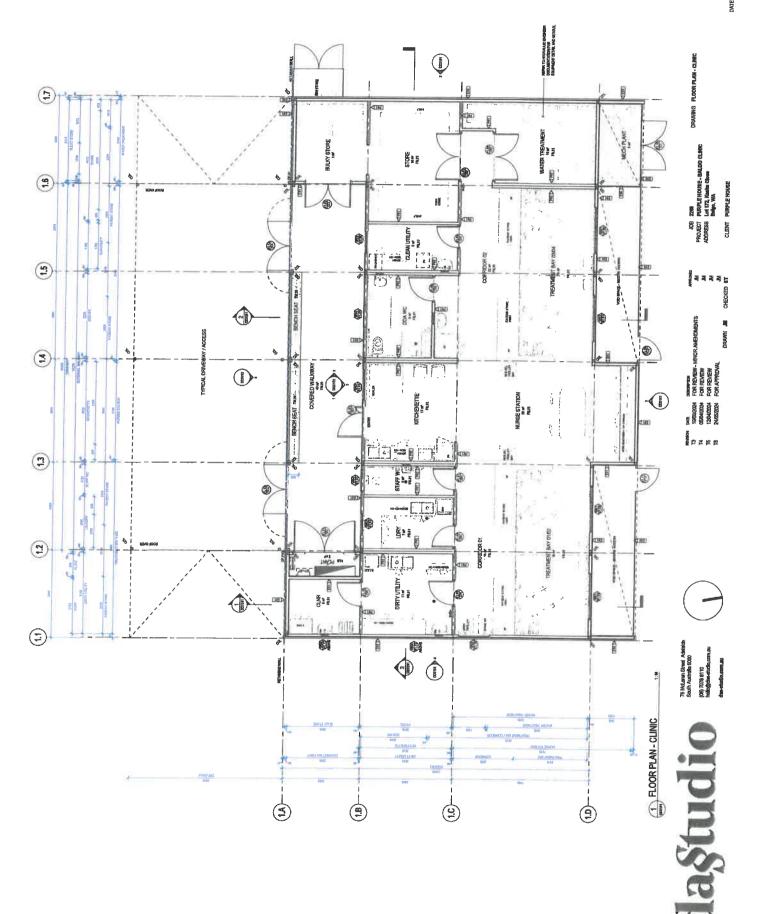




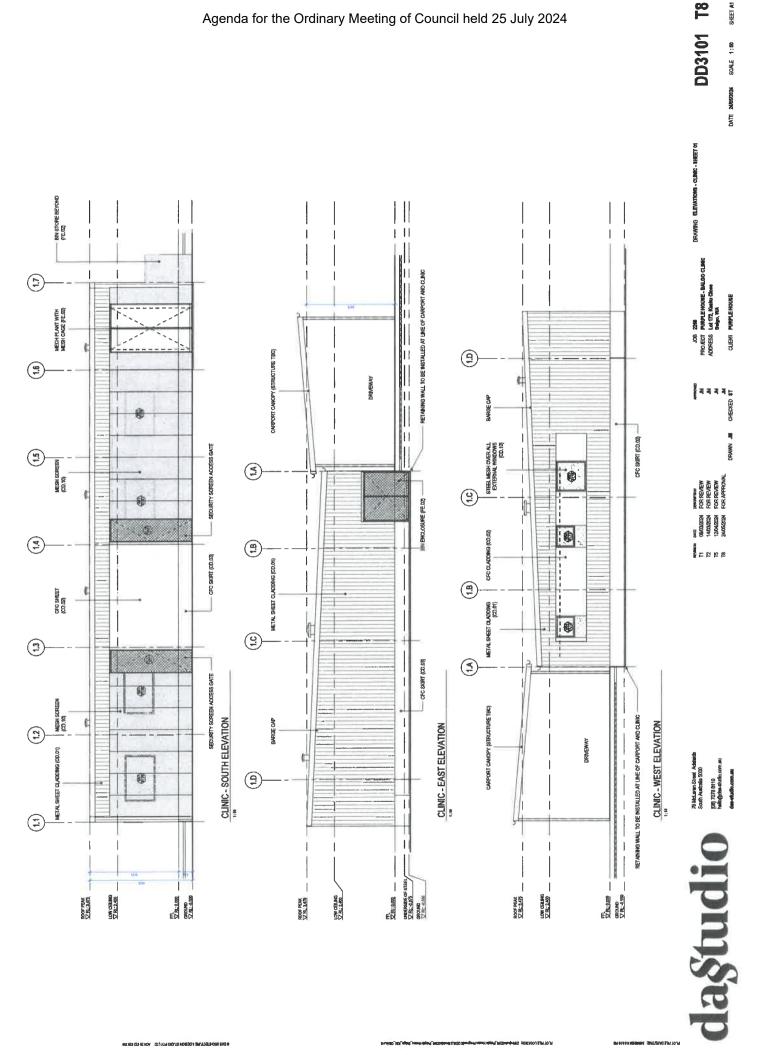








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2268\_Purple House - Balgo Accommodation





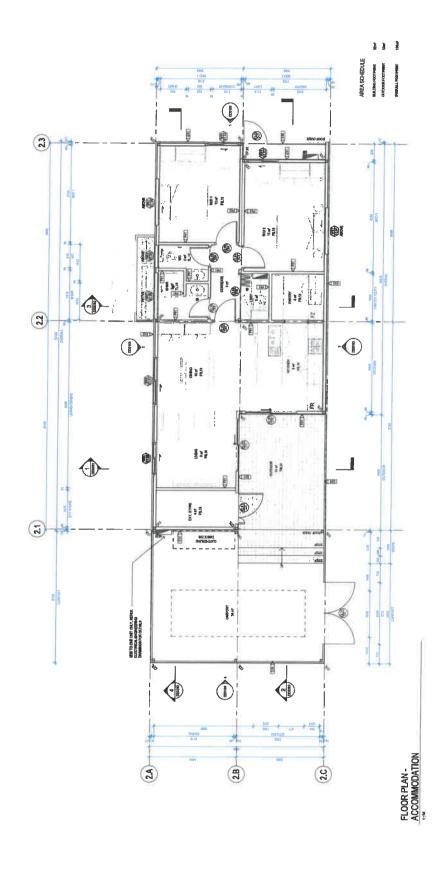
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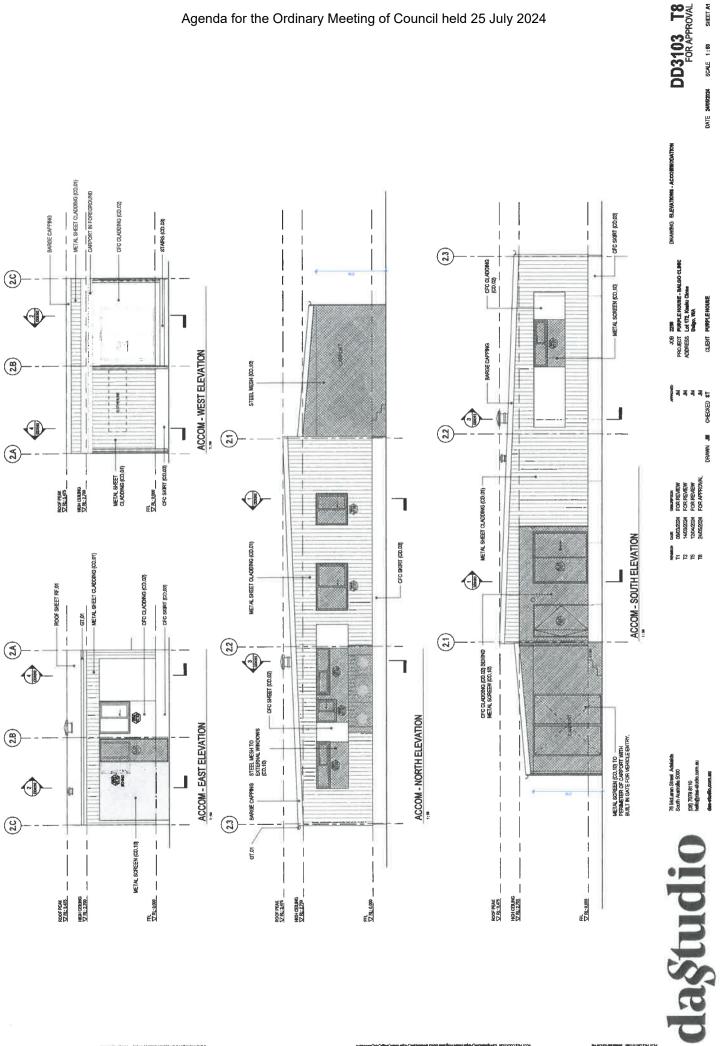
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30 January 2023

Via email: Sean.Browne@dplh.wa.gov.au

Sean Browne
Aboriginal Lands Trust
c/o Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage
140 William Street
PERTH WA 6000

To whom it may concern,

#### RE: WIRRIMANU ABORIGINAL CORPORATION LEASES - BALGO COMMUNITY

This letter confirms the Tjurabalan Native Title Land Aboriginal Corporation RTNBC (TNTLAC) understands that:

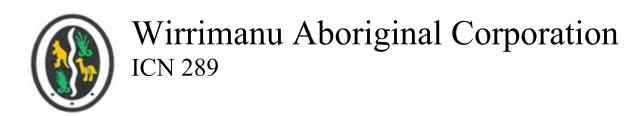
- Western Desert Nganampa Walytja Palyantjaku Tjutaku Aboriginal Corporation (Purple House) has been approached by Balgo community to build and operate a renal facility to provide remote dialysis services to Aboriginal patients from Balgo, Mulan and Billiluna communities who are suffering from chronic kidney disease; and
- Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation (WAC) is applying for a lease from the Aboriginal Lands Trust (ALT) for the vacant lot located at Lot 172, Kaaku Close, Balgo WA 6770 (Land) for development of the renal facility.
- 3. Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation (WAC) is applying for a lease from the Aboriginal Lands Trust (ALT) for the vacant lot located at Lot 11 and Lot 12, Station Circuit, Balgo WA 6770 (Land) for renal nurse staff accommodation.
- 4. WAC is seeking leases from the ALT for the aforementioned lots and will then sublease the land to Purple House.

We confirm that TNTLAC supports the proposed development and for WAC to apply for and enter into a lease with the ALT for a lease over the Land, which will then be subleased to Purple House. This support is provided on the basis that native title rights and interests which may exist in the Land are not extinguished or otherwise impaired by the creation of the lease.

If you require any further information, please let us know.

Yours faithfully,

Miranda Gore Chairperson



29th April 2021

#### Re: Support for onsite Renal Dialysis Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation

To whom it may concern,

Many of our elders, and not so old, face ongoing medical support for chronic health problems that require living offsite at a number of WA and NT Townships often hundreds of klms away from their family support.

The number one priority of our residents is to secure onsite treatment for the care of our family members who require renal treatment.

At a number of Community meetings this aim has been expressed and documented to our local medical service (KAMS) and CEO/Officers of the Purple House (based in Alice Springs).

To substantiate our Community commitment, we offer in-kind support including housing for two Nurses and an identified block of land to build a purpose built Renal treatment facility.

The Wirrimanu Board supports this unanimously and asks that you support this Community priority.

I am happy to discuss this further if needed on 0427877786.

Warren Bretag

**CEO Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation** 

None Britay

On behalf of the Chairperson and Directors of Wirrimanu Aboriginal Corporation

0427877786

#### 9.3 INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

Nil.

#### 9.4 CORPORATE SERVICES

# 9.4.1 Accounts Paid by Authority (Summary) – June 2024

| ITEM NUMBER:            | 9.4.1   |
|-------------------------|---|
| REPORTING OFFICER       | Muhammad Siddique, Executive Manager Finance & Corporate Services |
| SENIOR OFFICER          | Sue Leonard, Chief Executive Officer                              |
| MEETING DATE:           | 25 July 2024  |
| DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST: | Nil   |

#### 1.0 Matter for Consideration

1.1 Accounts paid by authority for June 2024 to be received by Council. (Appendix 9.2.1A).

# 2.0 Background

2.1 Nil

#### 3.0 Comments

3.1 Creditor payments for the month of June 2024 as follows:

| Bank Account            | <u>Type</u>         | <u>Total</u>   |
|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Municipal               | EFT31170 - EFT31277 | 898,942.80     |
| Payroll                 | Direct Debit        | 248,565.47     |
| Department of Transport | Direct Debit        | 13,807.90      |
| Superannuation          | Direct Debit        | 41,753.98      |
| Telstra                 | Direct Debit        | 7,634.91       |
| Aus Post                | Direct Debit        | 5,802.74       |
| Bank Fees               | Direct Debit        | 711.51         |
| TOTAL                   |                     | \$1,217,219.31 |

- 3.2 The attached schedule provides information for all payments made during the month under delegated authority. A detailed copy of the payments will be kept in the Finance Office.
- 3.3 The list of payments made by authority for 1 June 2024 to 30 June 2024 is hereby presented to Council.

# 4.0 Statutory Environment:

4.1 Regulation 13 of the *Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations*1996 requires a list of all accounts paid be presented to Council and recorded in the minutes.

- 4.2 This list must include all payments made since the list was last prepared and presented to Council and be included in the minutes.
- 4.3 Regulation 13A of the *Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations* 1996 requires a list of all payments made using a credit, debit or other purchasing card by an authorised employee to be presented to Council and recorded in the minutes. Note, this list is provided in a separate report.

#### 5.0 Strategic Implications

5.1 Objective:

4. Civic: Working together to strengthen leadership and effective governance.

5.2 Outcome:

Civic - 4.1 A local government that is respected and accountable

5.3 Strategy:

Civic - 4.1.1 Provide strong, effective and functional governance and leadership in the Shire

# **6.0 Policy Implications:**

6.1 All payments made in accordance with adopted Council policy and delegations.

# 7.0 Financial Implications

7.1 Out-flow of cash totalling \$1,217,219.31. All payments made have been within the provisions of the 2024-2025 Budget.

### 8.0 Sustainability Implications

#### 8.1 Environmental

There are no significant identifiable environmental impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.2 Economic

There are no significant identifiable economic impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.3 Social

There are no significant identifiable social impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.4 Risk

| <b>Event Likelihood / Impact Matrix</b>                   |               |                   |             |
|---|---------------|-------------------|-------------|
| <b>Likelihood</b> (refer Potential Risk Likelihood Guide) | Impact (refer | Potential Risk Im | pact Guide) |
|   | Minor         | Medium            | High        |
| Low (unlikely)  | 1             | 2                 | 3           |
| Moderate (likely)   | 2             | 4                 | 6           |
| High (very likely)  | 3             | 6                 | 9           |

| Risk  |     |
|---|-----|
| Low Risk  |     |
| a risk / activity with a score of 2 or less                         | N/A |
| Moderate Risk   |     |
| a risk / activity with a score between 3 or 4 more is moderate risk | N/A |
| High Risk   |     |
| a risk activity with a score of 6 or more is a high risk            | N/A |
| Risk Control Measure  |     |

# 9.0 Officer Recommendation

#### **That Council:**

RECEIVES the total accounts paid by authority totalling \$1,217,219.31 summarised on the Schedule of Payments – June 2024 as appended 9.4.1A.

# **VOTING REQUIREMENT:** Simple majority

Appendix:

9.4.1A - Schedule of Payments - June 2024

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| Chq/EFT  | Date      | Name   | Description                               | An | nount     |
|----------|-----------|--|---|----|-----------|
| EFT31170 | 7/06/2024 | NORTH REGIONAL TAFE                                    | Staff training - Stephen Mothe            | -  | 158.55    |
| EFT31171 | 7/06/2024 | OFFICE NATIONAL (KUNUNURRA) (COOLGEM HOLDINGS PTY LTD) | Printers service                          | -  | 651.62    |
| EFT31172 | 7/06/2024 | KUNUNURRA RURAL TRADERS                                | Fire emergency testing/ drill             | -  | 3,664.00  |
| EFT31173 | 7/06/2024 | KRSP PTY LTD   | Electricity reading 1/5/2024              | -  | 74.00     |
| EFT31174 | 7/06/2024 | LANDGATE   | Rural UV general revaluation              | -  | 1,416.79  |
| EFT31175 | 7/06/2024 | KUNUNURRA HOME & GARDEN                                | Asphalt Cold Mix (64 Bags)                | -  | 1,904.20  |
| EFT31176 | 7/06/2024 | SPINIFEX CONTRACTING LOCAL GOVERNMENT INSURANCE        | Emergency call out - Boarding up facility | -  | 800.00    |
| EFT31177 | 7/06/2024 | SERVICE WA (LGIS) DEPT. OF COMMUNITIES (DM             | Insurance                                 | -  | 1,243.00  |
| EFT31178 | 7/06/2024 | MOSQUITO RENTAL PAYMENTS)  ARAC REFRIGERATION & AIR    | Payroll                                   | -  | 764.80    |
| EFT31179 | 7/06/2024 | CONDITIONING PTY LTD  HALLS CREEK HOME & HALLS CREEK   | Aircon service                            | -  | 825.00    |
| EFT31180 | 7/06/2024 | ELECTRICAL & REFRIGERATION                             | Curtain and curtain rod                   | -  | 123.40    |
| EFT31181 | 7/06/2024 | FOURIER TECHNOLOGIES PTY LTD BUSHCAMP SURPLUS STORES   | Monthly subscription                      | -  | 3,932.50  |
| EFT31182 | 7/06/2024 | (BUSHCAMP ENTERPRISES PTY LTD)                         | Staff uniforms and supplies               | -  | 1,823.85  |
| EFT31183 | 7/06/2024 | VISION POWER PTY LTD                                   | Lights repair                             | -  | 302.94    |
| EFT31184 | 7/06/2024 | MRB PLUMBING LTD                                       | Sewer repair and inspection               | -  | 2,183.61  |
| EFT31185 | 7/06/2024 | MOORE AUST. (WA) PTY LTD                               | Accounting fees                           | -  | 57,285.56 |
| EFT31186 | 7/06/2024 | EASYWEB DIGITAL PTY LTD                                | Public WIFI monthly payment               | -  | 451.66    |
| EFT31187 | 7/06/2024 | GARY ANNETT PHOTOGRAPHY                                | Calendars for Halls Creek Visitor Centre  | -  | 875.00    |
| EFT31188 | 7/06/2024 | CORSIGN WA PTY LTD GREENFIELD TECHNICAL SERVICES       | First Aid kit                             | -  | 475.20    |
| EFT31189 | 7/06/2024 | (ROADSTONE WEST PTY LTD)                               | Damage pickup and associated PM           | -  | 64,013.16 |
| EFT31190 | 7/06/2024 | SKYMESH PTY LTD  | NBN                                       | -  | 579.70    |
| EFT31191 | 7/06/2024 | CDM HYDRAULICS PTY LTD                                 | Cleaning equipment                        | -  | 175.56    |
| EFT31192 | 7/06/2024 | INLOGIK PTY LTD  | Promaster subsciption                     | -  | 990.34    |

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Supplementary Information for Councillor Reference Only

# G BISHOPS TRANSPORT SERVICES PTY

| EFT31193   | 7/06/2024 LTD   | Freight fee - Plant transfer -  | 6,980.91   |
|--|---|---|--|
| EFT31194   | 7/06/2024 CASTLEDINE GREGORY  | Legal advice fees -   | 10,423.60  |
| EFT31195   | 7/06/2024 NEIL MANSELL TRANSPORT PTY LTD  | Freight fees - Café supplies -  | 463.75   |
| EFT31196   | 7/06/2024 CENTRAL REGIONAL TAFE   | Ranger training - J Farrer -  | 642.96   |
| EFT31197   | 7/06/2024 READOS AUTO CARE PTY LTD  | Door handle replacement - Fees for the attest audit for the year  | 440.74   |
| EFT31198   | 7/06/2024 OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL   | ended 30 June 2023  | 91,155.90  |
| EFT31199   | 7/06/2024 BROLLY AUSTRALASIA PTY LTD ALLGEAR MOTORCYCLES & SMALL  | Invoice 2024409 -   | 1,306.80   |
| EFT31200   | 7/06/2024 ENGINES   | Mower repair -  | 250.00   |
| EFT31201   | 7/06/2024 CJS AIROLDI   | Cleaing fees -  | 2,720.00   |
| EFT31202   | 7/06/2024 FOURIER COMMUNICATIONS PTY LTD  | Smart modem -   | 1,440.01   |
| EFT31203   | 7/06/2024 RSM AUSTRALIA PTY LTD   | Grant acquittal for the year ended 30 June 2022   | 9,350.00   |
| EFT31204   | 7/06/2024 BIDFOOD   | Supplies for café -   | 1,613.81   |
|  |   |   |  |
| EFT31205   | 7/06/2024 THRIFTY (TERRITORY RENT A CAR)  | Rental Car for the Shire of Halls Creek   | 922.16   |
| EFT31205<br>EFT31206   | 7/06/2024 MAIA FINANCIAL PTY LTD  | Rental Car for the Shire of Halls Creek  GYM Hire For Period 01-Jul-24 to 30-Sep- 24  | 922.16<br>4,380.62   |
|  |   | GYM Hire For Period 01-Jul-24 to 30-Sep-  |  |
| EFT31206   | 7/06/2024 MAIA FINANCIAL PTY LTD HALLS CREEK SUPERMARKET PTY LTD 7/06/2024 T/A IGA HALLS CREEK 7/06/2024 NAJA BUSINESS CONSULTING SERVICES  | GYM Hire For Period 01-Jul-24 to 30-Sep-<br>24  | 4,380.62   |
| EFT31206<br>EFT31207   | 7/06/2024 MAIA FINANCIAL PTY LTD  HALLS CREEK SUPERMARKET PTY LTD  7/06/2024 T/A IGA HALLS CREEK  | GYM Hire For Period 01-Jul-24 to 30-Sep-<br>24 -<br>School Holiday Programme -  | 4,380.62<br>2,280.39   |
| EFT31206<br>EFT31207<br>EFT31208   | 7/06/2024 MAIA FINANCIAL PTY LTD  HALLS CREEK SUPERMARKET PTY LTD  7/06/2024 T/A IGA HALLS CREEK  7/06/2024 NAJA BUSINESS CONSULTING SERVICES  THE MCMULLIN FAMILY TRUST T/A  | GYM Hire For Period 01-Jul-24 to 30-Sep-24  School Holiday Programme  Social Housing Business case  Supply and installation of 620 trees  Expense claim   | 4,380.62<br>2,280.39<br>14,916.00  |
| EFT31206 EFT31207 EFT31208 EFT31209  | 7/06/2024 MAIA FINANCIAL PTY LTD  HALLS CREEK SUPERMARKET PTY LTD  7/06/2024 T/A IGA HALLS CREEK  7/06/2024 NAJA BUSINESS CONSULTING SERVICES  THE MCMULLIN FAMILY TRUST T/A  7/06/2024 DRIFTWOOD TREE SERVICES   | GYM Hire For Period 01-Jul-24 to 30-Sep-<br>24 - School Holiday Programme - Social Housing Business case - Supply and installation of 620 trees - Supply and installation of 620 trees  | 4,380.62<br>2,280.39<br>14,916.00<br>202,041.63<br>60.37                       |
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| EFT31217 | 7/06/2024  | KUNDAT DJARU COMMUNITY STORE<br>ABORIGINAL CORPORATION    | Food and drink supplies for oncountry ringersoak trip        |   | 158.40           |
|----------|------------|---|--|---|------------------|
| EFT31218 | 7/06/2024  | WESTRAC PTY LTD   | Kit Switch for seat adjustment                               | - | 153.74           |
| EFT31219 | 7/06/2024  | KURURRUNGKU STORE (BILLILUNA)                             | Cleaning yard at donga                                       | - | 314.81           |
| EFT31220 | 7/06/2024  | LGRCEU (WA SHIRE COUNCILS UNION)                          | Payroll  | - | 22.00            |
| EFT31221 | 7/06/2024  | CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY                                      | Payroll  | - | 437.46           |
| EFT31222 | 7/06/2024  | IT VISION ORD MACHINING (THE TRUSTEE FOR PT               | Rates Services for May                                       | - | 3,690.50         |
| EFT31223 | 7/06/2024  | & AJ MCLEAN FAMILY TRUST) AERODROME MANAGEMENT SERVICES   | Rubber Wheel for Slasher                                     | - | 973.50           |
| EFT31224 | 7/06/2024  | PTY LTD (AMS)<br>THINKWATER KUNUNURRA (KIMBERLEY          | Eflares supply and installation                              | - | 12,480.96        |
| EFT31225 | 7/06/2024  | PUMPING SERVICE PTY LTD) REGIONAL POWER CORPORATION       | Chlorine for aquatic centre                                  | - | 3,792.32         |
| EFT31226 | 7/06/2024  | (HORIZON POWER)   | Street lights May 2024                                       | - | 36,401.70        |
| EFT31227 |            | IXOM OPERATIONS PTY LTD                                   | Chlorine Gas Drum monthly hire 23/24 Councillor Allowance PE | - | 216.54           |
| EFT31228 |            | MALCOLM HACK EDWARDS                                      | 11/6/2024<br>23/24 Councillor Allowance PE                   | - | 969.97           |
| EFT31229 |            | BONNIE ROSITA EDWARDS                                     | 11/6/2024 23/24 Councillor Allowance PE                      | - | 553.06           |
| EFT31230 |            | ROSEMARY STRETCH  | 11/6/2024 23/24 Councillor Allowance PE                      | - | 553.06           |
| EFT31231 |            | VIRGINIA O'NEIL   | 11/6/2024<br>23/24 Councillor Allowance PE                   | - | 553.06           |
|          |            | RAYMOND JOHN SIMPSON                                      | 11/6/2024  Councillor Allowance PE 11/6/2024                 | - | 553.06<br>553.06 |
|          |            | PATRICIA ANNE MCKAY                                       | 23/24 Councillor Allowance PE<br>11/6/2024                   | _ | 657.29           |
|          |            | KUNUNURRA RURAL TRADERS                                   | Vehicles fire testing extinguishers                          | _ | 2,364.50         |
|          |            | HALLS CREEK HOME & HALLS CREEK ELECTRICAL & REFRIGERATION | Mobile phone and cover for the new CEO, Susan Leonard        | _ | 1,338.95         |
| EFT31237 |            | MAGIQ SOFTWARE LTD  | Software maintenance   | _ | 12,475.41        |
| EFT31238 | 14/06/2024 | AVANTGARDE TECHNOLOGIES PTY LTD                           | CCTV maintenace and support April 2024                       | _ | 15,266.88        |
| EFT31239 | 14/06/2024 | PROGRESSIVE DIAGNOSTICS PTY LTD                           | Drug testing kits  | - | 524.70           |
| EFT31240 | 14/06/2024 | SUSAN LEONARD   | Expense claim  | - | 14,089.79        |

| EFT31241 | 14/06/2024 IT VISION   | Annual Subscription -   | 70,725.66 |
|----------|--|---|-----------|
| EFT31242 | 14/06/2024 TOTALLY WORKWEAR (BROOME) REGIONAL POWER CORPORATION      | Uniforms -  | 506.40    |
| EFT31243 | 14/06/2024 (HORIZON POWER)   | Energy bill -   | 5,481.48  |
| EFT31244 | 26/06/2024 MALCOLM HACK EDWARDS                                      | 23/24 Concillor Allowance PE 25/6/2024 -                              | 969.97    |
| EFT31245 | 26/06/2024 BONNIE ROSITA EDWARDS                                     | 23/24 Concillor Allowance PE 25/6/2024 -                              | 553.06    |
| EFT31246 | 26/06/2024 ROSEMARY STRETCH  | 23/24 Concillor Allowance PE 25/6/2024 -                              | 553.06    |
| EFT31247 | 26/06/2024 VIRGINIA O'NEIL   | 23/24 Concillor Allowance PE 25/6/2024 -                              | 553.06    |
| EFT31248 | 26/06/2024 CHRISTOPHER LOESSL  | 23/24 Concillor Allowance PE 25/6/2024 -                              | 553.06    |
| EFT31249 | 26/06/2024 RAYMOND JOHN SIMPSON                                      | Councillor Allowance PE 25/6/2024 - 23/24 Councillor Allowance PE     | 553.06    |
| EFT31250 | 26/06/2024 PATRICIA ANNE MCKAY                                       | 25/6/2024 -   | 657.29    |
| EFT31251 | 28/06/2024 KUNUNURRA RURAL TRADERS                                   | Fire emergency testing/ drill - Valuation Roll and Minining Tenements | 524.00    |
| EFT31252 | 28/06/2024 LANDGATE DEPT. OF COMMUNITIES (DM                         | for Rates -   | 2,985.25  |
| EFT31253 | 28/06/2024 MOSQUITO RENTAL PAYMENTS) HALLS CREEK HOME & HALLS CREEK  | Payroll -   | 2,294.40  |
| EFT31254 | 28/06/2024 ELECTRICAL & REFRIGERATION                                | Sandwich Press for Cheeky Dog Cafe -                                  | 238.00    |
| EFT31255 | 28/06/2024 FOURIER TECHNOLOGIES PTY LTD                              | Workstation / Laptop -  | 199.26    |
| EFT31256 | 28/06/2024 MOORE AUST. (WA) PTY LTD                                  | Accounting fees -   | 21,343.60 |
| EFT31257 | 28/06/2024 SKYMESH PTY LTD  REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AUST                | NBN -   | 579.70    |
| EFT31258 | 28/06/2024 KIMBERLEY INC   | ID Economic Platform 2024-2025 - Monthly Datascape Website for April  | 2,420.00  |
| EFT31259 | 28/06/2024 DATACOM SOLUTIONS (AU) PTY LTD THERMAL COMFORT HOMES UNIT | 2024 -  | 3,210.08  |
| EFT31260 | 28/06/2024 TRUST   | Refund of overpayment -   | 6,400.00  |
| EFT31261 | 28/06/2024 KIMBERLEY LIQUID WASTE PTY LTD                            | Waste removal for Cheeky dog Cafe -                                   | 869.00    |
| EFT31262 | 28/06/2024 THEM EARTHMOVING PTY LTD                                  | Flood Damage Earth Moving -   | 50,593.24 |
| EFT31263 | 28/06/2024 REKO YEEDA  | Return of rent -  | 3,690.00  |
| EFT31264 | 28/06/2024 BIDFOOD   | Supplies for café -   | 6,441.77  |

| EFT31266 | 28/06/2024                            | NAJA BUSINESS CONSULTING SERVICES  | Planning business model Blueberry Hill housing estate                    | -                     | 9,944.00  |
|----------|---------------------------------------|--|--|-----------------------|---|
| EFT31267 | 28/06/2024                            | De Jongs   | Communications Advice  | -                     | 4,224.00  |
| EFT31268 | 28/06/2024                            | HALLS CREEK 4WD  | Tube Patches and Front Screen Suit for YENO Vehicle                      |                       | 841.50  |
| EFT31269 | 28/06/2024                            | MILLS OAKLEY   | Legal advice fees  | -                     | 8,885.80  |
| EFT31270 | 28/06/2024                            | SNAP REMOVALS PTY LTD T/A ALLIED REMOVALS BROOME DEPT. OF FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES  | Relocation of Sophie Elmouttie to<br>Tasmania                            | -                     | 8,679.00  |
| EFT31271 | 28/06/2024                            |  | ESL quarter 4 contribution   | -                     | 7,140.94  |
| EFT31272 | 28/06/2024                            |  | Postage fee  |                       | 156.00  |
| EFT31273 | 28/06/2024                            | LGRCEU (WA SHIRE COUNCILS UNION)   | Payroll  | -                     | 66.00   |
| EFT31274 | 28/06/2024                            | CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY SHIRE OF WYNDHAM-EAST KIMBERLEY   | Payroll  | -                     | 1,630.94  |
| EFT31275 | 28/06/2024                            |  | Invoice 41183 + interest of \$121.72.<br>Sue Leonard Pre Employment Full | -                     | 140.71  |
| EFT31276 | 28/06/2024                            | ABORIGINAL CORPORATION   | Medical and Drug Test  |                       | 460.00  |
| EFT31277 | 28/06/2024                            | TOTALLY WORKWEAR (BROOME)  | Embroidary for uniforms  |                       | 460.00  |
|          |                                       |  |  |                       |   |
|          |                                       | EF1  | 7  | <u>-</u>              | 898,942.80  |
|          |                                       | EFT  | 7  |                       | 898,942.80  |
| DD20750. | 7/06/2024                             | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz   | T  | _                     | <b>898,942.80</b><br>1,150.00                                     |
| DD20750. | 7/06/2024<br>7/06/2024                | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz<br>BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773   |  | <u>-</u>              |   |
|          |                                       | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz<br>BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773   |  | <u>-</u>              | 1,150.00  |
|          |                                       | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773 CommBiz Telstra  |  | <u>-</u>              | 1,150.00<br>6,484.91  |
| DD20750. |                                       | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773 CommBiz  Telstra  BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING HOUSE   |  | -<br>-<br>-<br>-      | 1,150.00<br>6,484.91  |
| DD20750. | 7/06/2024                             | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773 CommBiz  Telstra  BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING HOUSE BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING                      |  | -<br>-<br>-<br>-      | 1,150.00<br>6,484.91<br><b>7,634.91</b>                           |
| DD20750. | 7/06/2024                             | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773 CommBiz  Telstra  BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING HOUSE BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING                      | Super payment 11/6/2024 Super payment 25/6/2024                          | <u>-</u>              | 1,150.00<br>6,484.91<br><b>7,634.91</b><br>19,838.55              |
| DD20750. | 7/06/2024                             | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773 CommBiz  Telstra  BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING HOUSE BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING HOUSE Superannuation | Super payment 11/6/2024 Super payment 25/6/2024                          | <u>-</u>              | 1,150.00<br>6,484.91<br><b>7,634.91</b><br>19,838.55<br>21,915.43 |
| DD20750. | 7/06/2024<br>24/06/2024<br>27/06/2024 | BPAY TELSTRA MOBILE 7799 CommBiz BPAY TELSTRA BILL PAYMENT 7773 CommBiz  Telstra  BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING HOUSE BEAM SUPERANNUATION CLEARING HOUSE                | Super payment 11/6/2024 Super payment 25/6/2024                          | <u>-</u> - <u>-</u> - | 1,150.00<br>6,484.91<br><b>7,634.91</b><br>19,838.55<br>21,915.43 |

# ${\tt SAGERULFOOTH ACCOMMNTS MANNIFORTULE IN MORE NEW 25 JULY 120244}$

|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
|----------|------------|---------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| DD20786. | 6/06/2024  | HALO20240604                    | _        | 222.25    |
| DD20700. | 0,00,2024  | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          | 222.23    |
| DD20786. | 7/06/2024  | HALO20240605                    |          | 453.30    |
| DD20760. | 7/00/2024  |                                 | -        | 455.50    |
| DD2070C  | 10/06/2024 | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          | 207.55    |
| DD20786. | 10/06/2024 | HALO20240606                    | -        | 297.55    |
| 5522706  | 44/05/2024 | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          | 60.00     |
| DD20786. | 11/06/2024 | HALO20240607                    | -        | 60.80     |
|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 12/06/2024 | HALO20240610                    | -        | 443.20    |
|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 13/06/2024 | HALO20240611                    | -        | 42.90     |
|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 14/06/2024 | HALO20240612                    | -        | 3,005.40  |
|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 17/06/2024 | HALO20240613                    | -        | 604.20    |
|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 18/06/2024 | HALO20240614                    | -        | 124.85    |
|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 19/06/2024 | HALO20240617                    | -        | 72.10     |
|          | -,,        | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 20/06/2024 | HALO20240618                    | _        | 2,427.80  |
|          | _0,00,_0   | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          | _,,       |
| DD20786  | 21/06/2024 | HALO20240619                    | _        | 1,684.40  |
| DD20700. | 21,00,2024 | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          | 1,004.40  |
| DD20796  | 24/06/2024 | HALO20240620                    |          | 1,887.85  |
| DD20760. | 24/00/2024 |                                 | -        | 1,007.03  |
| DD2070C  | 26/06/2024 | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          | 264.80    |
| DD20786. | 26/06/2024 | HALO20240624                    | -        | 364.80    |
| 5522706  | 27/26/2024 | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          | 256.00    |
| DD20786. | 27/06/2024 | HALO20240625                    | -        | 256.80    |
|          |            | Direct Debit 028423 TRANSPORT   |          |           |
| DD20786. | 28/06/2024 | HALO20240626                    | -        | 804.45    |
|          |            | Department of Transport         |          |           |
|          |            | Department of Transport         | <u>-</u> | 13,807.90 |
|          |            |                                 |          |           |
|          |            | 5353109693165024 Value Date:    |          |           |
| DD20797. | 2/06/2024  | 31/05/2024                      | -        | 78.93     |
|          | , ,        | 5353109693041712 Value Date:    |          |           |
| DD20797. | 2/06/2024  | 31/05/2024                      | _        | 503.96    |
|          | _,,        |                                 |          | 555.55    |
| DD20797. | 17/06/2024 | ACC SERV FEE TRANS FEES-0024999 | -        | 40.62     |
|          |            |                                 |          |           |
| DD20797. | 17/06/2024 | (T)BPAY FEE TRANS FEES-0024999  | -        | 7.15      |
|          |            | (T) COMMBIZ FEES TRANS FEES-    |          |           |
| DD20797. | 17/06/2024 | 0024999                         | -        | 0.55      |
|          |            | (T) COMMBIZ FEES TRANS FEES-    |          |           |
| DD20797. | 17/06/2024 |                                 | -        | 80.30     |
|          | -          |                                 |          |           |

# ${\tt SAGERULFOOTH ACCOMMNTS MANNIFORTULE IN MORE NEW 25 JULY 120244}$

|          | Bank Fees   | <u>-711.51</u>      |
|----------|---|---------------------|
| DD20793. | 24/06/2024 AUSTRALIA POST (MELBOURNE) Purchase of stock   | k <u>- 5,802.74</u> |
|          | Australia Post  | - 5,802.74          |
| Direct   | Direct Credit 301500 Shire of Halls C Co<br>12/06/2024 SOHC Payroll<br>Direct Credit 301500 Shire of Halls C Co | - 117,121.90        |
| Direct   | 26/06/2024 SOHC Payroll  Direct Credit 301500 Shire of Halls C Co   | - 130,552.67        |
| Direct   | 27/06/2024 SOHC Payroll   | <u>- 890.90</u>     |
|          | Payroll   | 248,565.47          |
|          |   | - 1,217,219.31      |

# 9.4.2 Payments by Employees via Purchasing Cards – 28 May 2024 to 26 June 2024

| ITEM NUMBER:            | 9.4.2   |  |  |
|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| REPORTING OFFICER       | Muhammad Siddique, Executive Manager Finance & Corporate Services |  |  |
| SENIOR OFFICER          | Sue Leonard, Chief Executive Officer                              |  |  |
| MEETING DATE:           | 25 July 2024  |  |  |
| DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST: | Nil   |  |  |

#### 1.0 Matter for Consideration

1.1 List of payments made by authorised employees using transaction cards to be received by Council for the period between 28 May 2024 to 26 June 2024 (Appendix 9.4.2A).

### 2.0 Background

- 2.1 On 1 September 2023, Regulation 13A of the *Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996* came into effect requiring local governments to prepare a list of all payments made by an authorised employee using a credit, debit or other purchasing card.
- 2.2 This requirement of Regulation 13A supersedes the requirement of Council Policy HR5. Credit card payments by the CEO are included in the appended list of payments by purchasing card and now excluded from the CEO Authorisation and Reporting to Council report.
- 2.3 Although the Shire have effectively been reporting the 'payment' relating to transaction cards in the list of payments presented to Council made under delegated authority etc, this usually only details the monthly payment incorporating all transactions for individual cards/accounts.
- 2.4 The listing of relevant cards has been prepared to highlight the information required by legislation:
  - (a) the payee's name;
  - (b) the amount of the payment;
  - (c) the date of the payment;
  - (d) sufficient information to identify the payment.

#### 3.0 Comments

- 3.1 Purchasing card payments for the period 28 May 2024 to 26 June 2024 is via Credit card payments totalling \$18,882.80.
- 3.2 The attached schedule provides the information required by legislation. A detailed copy of the payments will be kept in the Finance Office.
- 3.3 The list of payments made by authorised employees using transaction cards to be received by Council for the period 28 May 2024 to 26 June 2024 is hereby presented to Council.

# 4.0 Statutory Environment:

- 4.1 Regulation 13A of the *Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations* 1996 provides that a list of all payments made by an authorised employee using a credit, debit or other purchasing card be prepared and presented to Council.
- 4.2 This list must include all payments made since the list was last prepared and presented to Council and included in the minutes of the meeting.

## 5.0 Strategic Implications

5.1 Objective:

4. Civic: Working together to strengthen leadership and effective governance.

5.2 Outcome:

Civic - 4.1 A local government that is respected and accountable

5.3 Strategy:

Civic - 4.1.1 Provide strong, effective and functional governance and leadership in the Shire

## **6.0 Policy Implications:**

6.1 All payments made in accordance with adopted Council policy and delegations.

## 7.0 Financial Implications

7.1 Out-flow of cash totalling \$18,882.80. All payments made have been within the provisions of the Budget.

## 8.0 Sustainability Implications

8.1 Environmental

There are no significant identifiable environmental impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

8.2 Economic

There are no significant identifiable economic impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

8.3 Social

There are no significant identifiable social impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.4 Risk

| <b>Event Likelihood / Impact Matrix</b>                   |  |        |      |  |
|---|--|--------|------|--|
| <b>Likelihood</b> (refer Potential Risk Likelihood Guide) | Impact (refer Potential Risk Impact Guide) |        |      |  |
|   | Minor                                      | Medium | High |  |
| Low (unlikely)  | 1  | 2      | 3    |  |
| Moderate (likely)   | 2  | 4      | 6    |  |
| High (very likely)  | 3  | 6      | 9    |  |

| Risk  |     |
|---|-----|
| Low Risk  |     |
| a risk / activity with a score of 2 or less                         | N/A |
| Moderate Risk   |     |
| a risk / activity with a score between 3 or 4 more is moderate risk | N/A |

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| High Risk  |     |
|--|-----|
| a risk activity with a score of 6 or more is a high risk | N/A |
| Risk Control Measure                                     |     |

#### 9.0 Officer Recommendation

#### **That Council:**

RECEIVES the listing of payments made by authorised employees using transaction cards for the period 28 May 2024 to 26 June 2024 summarised on the attached schedule (as appended 9.4.2A) for Credit card payments totalling \$18,882.80.

# **VOTING REQUIREMENT:** Simple majority

Appendix:

9.4.2A - Schedule of Payments by Employees via Purchasing Cards - 28 May 2024 to 26 June 2024

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# Shire of Halls Creek Payments by Employees via Purchasing Cards 28 May 2024 to 26 June 2024 Credit Cards

| Date      | Description           | Value      | Card Id |
|-----------|-----------------------|------------|---------|
| 28-May-24 | Dunnings Broome       | \$209.31   | 1086    |
| 28-May-24 | Live Payments         | \$24.83    | 1086    |
| 19-Jun-24 | Coles Express         | \$14.00    | 1086    |
| 6-Jun-24  | Seek AU               | \$346.50   | 4030    |
| 7-Jun-24  | Telstra               | \$72.00    | 4030    |
| 20-Jun-24 | Seek AU               | \$1,171.50 | 4030    |
| 25-Jun-24 | Everywhere Travel     | \$1,962.04 | 4030    |
| 25-Jun-24 | Everywhere Travel     | \$2,362.67 | 4030    |
| 29-May-24 | Post Halls Creek LPO  | \$87.00    | 8657    |
| 30-May-24 | E Kimberley Hardware  | \$492.00   | 8657    |
| 30-May-24 | Kununurra Home and G  | \$22.00    | 8657    |
| 30-May-24 | Coles Express         | \$147.99   | 8657    |
| 1-Jun-24  | Halls Creek Home      | \$25.07    | 8657    |
| 1-Jun-24  | IGA Local Grocer      | \$20.30    | 8657    |
| 6-Jun-24  | IGA Local Grocer      | \$19.00    | 8657    |
| 7-Jun-24  | IP Australia          | \$250.00   | 8657    |
| 7-Jun-24  | IP Australia          | \$250.00   | 8657    |
| 11-Jun-24 | Post Halls Creek LPO  | \$87.00    | 8657    |
| 11-Jun-24 | Post Halls Creek LPO  | \$58.70    | 8657    |
| 11-Jun-24 | Post Halls Creek LPO  | \$58.70    | 8657    |
| 12-Jun-24 | Shire of Halls Creek  | \$10.50    | 8657    |
| 13-Jun-24 | Autopro Kununurra     | \$66.99    | 8657    |
| 13-Jun-24 | CGL Fuel              | \$122.23   | 8657    |
| 20-Jun-24 | Halls Creek Home      | \$165.70   | 8657    |
| 29-May-24 | Kimberle Coffee       | \$1,290.00 | 3350    |
| 1-Jun-24  | Warmun Roadhouse      | \$50.00    | 3350    |
| 3-Jun-24  | Annual fee            | \$20.00    | 3350    |
| 5-Jun-24  | Post Halls Creek LPO  | \$87.00    | 3350    |
| 11-Jun-24 | Coles Express         | \$10.00    | 3350    |
| 14-Jun-24 | ATO Payment           | \$1,907.34 | 3350    |
| 21-Jun-24 | Goldline Distributors | \$1,223.93 | 3350    |
| 11-Jun-24 | Tickets Mosquito      | \$3,795.00 | 2666    |
| 17-Jun-24 | Adobe                 | \$347.82   | 2666    |
| 3-Jun-24  | Annual fee            | \$20.00    |         |
| 11-Jun-24 | Coles Express         | \$10.10    | 3763    |
| 11-Jun-24 | Coles Express         | \$130.60   | 3763    |
| 12-Jun-24 | Kununurra Home and G  | \$116.00   | 3763    |
| 19-Jun-24 | Kununurra Home and G  | \$266.40   | 3763    |
| 19-Jun-24 | ThinkWater Kununurra  | \$34.25    | 3763    |
| 19-Jun-24 | Bushcamp Surplus      | \$131.45   | 3763    |
| 24-Jun-24 | Allgear Motorcycles   | \$107.90   |         |
| 28-May-24 | IGA Local Grocer      | \$23.50    |         |
| 3-Jun-24  | Annual fee            | \$20.00    | 3343    |
| 5-Jun-24  | S24 ORD River         | \$151.24   | 3343    |
| 13-Jun-24 | Shire of Halls Creek  | \$75.40    |         |
| 17-Jun-24 | Acon Health Limited   | \$25.00    | 3343    |
| 3-Jun-24  | Annual fee            | \$20.00    | 3368    |

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| Date      | Description             | Value       | Card Id |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------|---------|
| 4-Jun-24  | Halls Creek Home        | \$15.07     | 3368    |
| 7-Jun-24  | Amazon AU               | \$266.14    | 3368    |
| 7-Jun-24  | Amazon Prime membership | \$9.99      | 3368    |
| 9-Jun-24  | Prime Video channels    | \$9.99      | 3368    |
| 10-Jun-24 | Audible Limited AU      | \$16.45     | 3368    |
| 13-Jun-24 | Amazon AU               | \$35.97     | 3368    |
| 14-Jun-24 | Westoztools.com.au      | \$318.00    | 3368    |
| 20-Jun-24 | Shire of Halls Creek    | \$272.15    | 3368    |
| 21-Jun-24 | Halls Creek Home        | \$20.09     | 3368    |
| 23-Jun-24 | Amazon Prime membership | \$9.99      | 3368    |
|           |                         |             |         |
|           | Tota                    | \$18,882.80 |         |

### 9.4.3 - Monthly Financial Reports for periods ending 30 June 2024

| ITEM NUMBER:            | 9.4.3                                |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| REPORTING OFFICER       | Muhammad Siddique, EMCS              |
| SENIOR OFFICER          | Sue Leonard, Chief Executive Officer |
| MEETING DATE:           | 25 July 2024                         |
| DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST: | Nil                                  |

#### 1.0 Matter for Consideration

1.1 Acceptance of Monthly Financial Reports for the period ending 30 June 2024 (Appendix 9.4.3A).

# 2.0 Background

- 2.1 Regulations 34 and 35 of the *Financial Management (Local Government)*Regulations 1996 require a monthly statement of financial activity, monthly statement of financial position and explanation of material variances to be presented to Council.
- 2.2 The report must be presented at an ordinary meeting of council within 2 months after the end of the month to which the statement relates. Regulations prescribe the information that must be contained in the report.
- 2.3 The Monthly Financial Report for the periods ending 30 June 2024 have been prepared by Moore Australia and include:
  - Compilation Report;
  - Statement of Financial Activity;
  - Statement of Financial Position; and
  - Explanation of Material Variances.

#### 3.0 Comments

- 3.1 At its Ordinary Council Meeting on 17 August 2023, Council adopted (Council resolution 2023/086) the monthly statement of financial activity reporting variance for both operating and capital activities of 10% or greater for expenditure and below 10% for income, subject to a \$50,000 minimum below which, variances are not required to be reported. An explanation of any variances is provided on the last page of the Monthly Financial Report.
- 3.2 The Monthly Financial Reports have been compiled to meet compliance with the *Local Government Act 1995* and associated regulations, including the Statement of Financial Activity, Statement of Financial Position. An explanation of any material variances is included on the final page.
- 3.3 The Monthly Financial Reports contain the receipt of 85% of the 2024-25 Financial Assistance Grants resulting in the surplus being \$4,791,804 than would otherwise be the case. These funds will be required during the 2024-25 year.

## 4.0 Statutory Environment

- 4.1 Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996
- 34. Financial activity statement required each month (Act s. 6.4)
- (1A) In this regulation —

committed assets means revenue unspent but set aside under the annual budget for a specific purpose.

- (1) A local government is to prepare each month a statement of financial activity reporting on the revenue and expenditure, as set out in the annual budget under regulation 22(1)(d), for the previous month (the *relevant month*) in the following detail
  - (a) annual budget estimates, taking into account any expenditure incurred for an additional purpose under section 6.8(1)(b) or (c); and
  - (b) budget estimates to the end of the relevant month; and
  - (c) actual amounts of expenditure, revenue and income to the end of the relevant month; and
  - (d)material variances between the comparable amounts referred to in paragraphs (b) and (c); and
  - (e) the net current assets at the end of the relevant month and a note containing a summary explaining the composition of the net current assets.
- (1B) The detail included under subregulation (1)(e) must be structured in the same way as the detail included in the annual budget under regulation 31(1) and (3)(a).
- (1C) Any information relating to exclusions from the calculation of a budget deficiency that is included as part of the budget estimates referred to in subregulation (1)(a) or (b) must be structured in the same way as the corresponding information included in the annual budget.
- (2) Each statement of financial activity is to be accompanied by documents containing
  - (a) [deleted]
  - (b) an explanation of each of the material variances referred to in subregulation (1)(d); and
  - (c) such other supporting information as is considered relevant by the local government.
- (3) The information in a statement of financial activity must be shown according to nature classification.
- (4) A statement of financial activity, and the accompanying documents referred to in subregulation (2), are to be —
- (a) presented at an ordinary meeting of the council within 2 months after the end of the relevant month; and
- (b) recorded in the minutes of the meeting at which it is presented.
- (5) Each financial year, a local government is to adopt a percentage or value, calculated in accordance with the AAS, to be used in statements of financial activity for reporting material variances.
- 35. Financial position statement required each month
- (1) A local government must prepare each month a statement of financial position showing the financial position of the local government as at the last day of the previous month (the **previous month**) and —
- (a) the financial position of the local government as at the last day of the previous financial year; or
- (b) if the previous month is June, the financial position of the local government as at the last day of the financial year before the previous financial year.
- (2) A statement of financial position must be —
- (a) presented at an ordinary meeting of the council within 2 months after the end of the previous month; and
- (b) recorded in the minutes of the meeting at which it is presented.

# 5.0 Strategic Implications

- 5.1 Objective:
- 4. Civic: Working together to strengthen leadership and effective governance.
- 5.2 Outcome:
- Civic 4.1 A local government that is respected and accountable.
- 5.3 Strategy:
- Civic 4.1.1 Provide strong, effective, and functional governance and leadership in the Shire.
- Civic 4.1.2 Consistent and impartial application of Council policies and provision of services
- Civic 4.1.3 Council decisions are consistent, reliable, and transparent.

# 6.0 Policy Implications

6.1 There are no known policy implications arising from this report.

# 7.0 Financial Implications

- 7.1 There are no known financial implications arising from this report.
- 7.2 The presentation of these reports provides Council with regular updates regarding the status of the financial position and to assist with compliance with the *Local Government Act 1995* and associated regulations.

## 8.0 Sustainability Implications

#### 8.1 Environmental

There are no significant identifiable environmental impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.2 Economic

There are no significant identifiable economic impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.3 Social

There are no significant identifiable social impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

#### 8.4 Risk

| <b>Event Likelihood</b> /                                       | Impact Matrix  |
|---|--|
| <b>Likelihood</b> (refer<br>Potential Risk<br>Likelihood Guide) | Impact - The Financial reporting is comprehensive - meeting compliance under the LG Act. The current financial position in terms of timing and financial performance against Budget and known events carries high risk. This is because of the variance levels between YTD budget and actual revenue & expenditure along with the continuation of a deficit since November 2021. |
|   | Delays between expenditure and receiving revenue by funders, and apparent permanent unfavourable variance in Transport is making cash flow very tight. This is manageable as a result of the recent approval by Council of a transfer from Reserve funds. Management is focused on managing cash flow for the rest of the financial year.  |

|                    | Minor | Medium | High |
|--------------------|-------|--------|------|
| Low (unlikely)     | 1     | (2)    | 3    |
| Moderate (likely)  | 2     | 4      | 6    |
| High (very likely) | 3     | 6      | 9    |

| Risk   | Low to medium   |
|--|---|
| Low Risk                                     |   |
| a risk / activity with a score of 2 or less  | manage by routine procedures  |
| Moderate Risk                                |   |
| a risk / activity with a score between 3 or  | Diligent surveillance of financial  |
| 4 more is moderate risk                      | activities and reporting.   |
| High Risk                                    |   |
| a risk activity with a score of 6 or more is | NA  |
| a high risk                                  |   |
| Risk Control Measure                         | Continue producing high standard reports by continued association with Moore Australia - and taking the time to ensure the accuracy of the financial transaction records each and every month. Careful management of cash flow. |

#### 9.0 Officer Recommendation

#### That Council:

RECIEVE the Monthly Financial Reports for the periods ending 30 June 2024 (Appendix 9.4.3A) consisting of:

- a) Compilation Report;
- b) Statement of Financial Activity;
- c) Statement of Financial Position; and
- d) Material Variances.

# **VOTING REQUIREMENT** Simple majority

Appendix:

9.4.3A - Monthly Financial Reports - 30 June 2024

19 July 2024

Mrs Susan Leonard Acting Chief Executive Officer Shire of Halls Creek PO Box 21 HALLS CREEK WA 6770

Dear Susan

#### **COMPILATION REPORT TO SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK**

We have compiled the accompanying special purpose financial report of Shire of Halls Creek which comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2024, the statement of financial activity, notes providing statement of financial activity supporting information, explanation of material variances for the year then ended and a summary of material accounting policy information. These have been prepared in accordance with *Local Government Act 1995* and associated regulations as described in Note 1 to the financial report. The specific purpose for which the special purpose financial statements have been prepared is also set out in Note 1 of the financial report. We have provided the supplementary information of Shire of Halls Creek as at 30 June 2024 and for the period then ended based on the records of the Shire of Halls Creek.

#### THE RESPONSIBILITY OF SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK

The CEO of Shire of Halls Creek is solely responsible for information contained in the special purpose financial report and supplementary information, the reliability, accuracy and completeness of the information and for the determination that the basis of accounting used is appropriate to meet their needs and for the purpose that the financial report was prepared.

#### **OUR RESPONSIBILITY**

On the basis of information provided by Shire of Halls Creek we have compiled the accompanying special purpose financial report in accordance with the requirements of *APES 315 Compilation of Financial Information* and the *Local Government Act 1995*, associated regulations and to the extent that they are not inconsistent with the *Local Government Act 1995*, the Australian Accounting Standards.

We have applied our expertise in accounting and financial reporting to compile these financial statements in accordance with the basis of accounting described in Note 1 to the financial report except for the matters of noncompliance with the basis of preparation identified with Note 1 of the financial report. We have complied with the relevant ethical requirements of *APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants*.

Supplementary information attached to the financial report has been extracted from the records of Shire of Halls Creek and information presented in the special purpose financial report.

#### **ASSURANCE DISCLAIMER**

Since a compilation engagement is not an assurance engagement, we are not required to verify the reliability, accuracy or completeness of the information provided to us by management to compile these financial statements. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or a review conclusion on these financial statements.

The special purpose financial report was compiled exclusively for the benefit of Shire of Halls Creek who are responsible for the reliability, accuracy and completeness of the information used to compile them. Accordingly, the special purpose financial report may not be suitable for other purposes. We do not accept responsibility for the contents of the special purpose financial report.

Russell Barnes

Director Moore Australia (WA) Pty Ltd

# SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK

# MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT

(Containing the required statement of financial activity and statement of financial position)

For the period ended 30 June 2024

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1995 LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT) REGULATIONS 1996

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# SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

|  |      | Amended<br>Budget<br>Estimates | YTD<br>Budget<br>Estimates | YTD<br>Actual | Variance*   | Variance*       | Var.     |
|--|------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------|----------|
|  | Note | (a)                            | (b)                        | (c)           | (c) - (b)   | ((c) - (b))/(b) |          |
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES   |      | \$                             | \$                         | \$            | \$          | %               |          |
| Revenue from operating activities  |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| General rates  |      | 3,465,542                      | 3,465,542                  | 3,402,207     | (63,335)    | (1.83%)         |          |
| Rates excluding general rates  |      | 179,791                        | 179,791                    | 88,677        | (91,114)    | (50.68%)        | _        |
| Grants, subsidies and contributions  |      | 5,815,085                      | 5,815,085                  | 10,792,805    | 4,977,720   | 85.60%          |          |
| Fees and charges   |      | 1,055,263                      | 1,055,263                  | 1,099,572     | 44,309      | 4.20%           |          |
| Service charges  |      | 5,016                          | 5,016                      | 4,170         | (846)       | (16.87%)        |          |
| Interest revenue   |      | 404,000                        | 404,000                    | 347,104       | (56,896)    | (14.08%)        | •        |
| Other revenue  |      | 172,940                        | 172,940                    | 277,960       | 105,020     | 60.73%          |          |
| Profit on asset disposals  |      | 484,308                        | 484,308                    | 128,095       | (356,213)   | (73.55%)        | •        |
|  |      | 11,581,945                     | 11,581,945                 | 16,140,590    | 4,558,645   | 39.36%          |          |
| Expenditure from operating activities  |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| Employee costs   |      | (6,135,902)                    | (6,135,902)                | (5,733,480)   | 402,422     | 6.56%           |          |
| Materials and contracts  |      | (5,491,184)                    | (5,491,184)                | (4,228,399)   | 1,262,785   | 23.00%          |          |
| Utility charges  |      | (456,963)                      | (456,963)                  | (518,827)     | (61,864)    | (13.54%)        | •        |
| Depreciation   |      | (5,803,754)                    | (5,803,754)                | (5,067,361)   | 736,393     | 12.69%          |          |
| Insurance  |      | (580,311)                      | (580,311)                  | (544,758)     | 35,553      | 6.13%           |          |
| Other expenditure  |      | (474,103)                      | (474,103)                  | (335,390)     | 138,713     | 29.26%          |          |
| Loss on asset disposals  |      | (75,964)                       | (75,964)                   | (123,615)     | (47,651)    | (62.73%)        |          |
|  |      | (19,018,181)                   | (19,018,181)               | (16,551,830)  | 2,466,351   | 12.97%          |          |
|  |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| Non-cash amounts excluded from operating   | 2(b) | 5.005.440                      | 5 005 440                  |               | (000.070)   | (5.0.40()       |          |
| activities   | ( )  | 5,395,410                      | 5,395,410                  | 5,075,034     | (320,376)   | (5.94%)         |          |
| Amount attributable to operating activities  |      | (2,040,826)                    | (2,040,826)                | 4,663,794     | 6,704,620   | 328.52%         |          |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES Inflows from investing activities Proceeds from capital grants, subsidies and |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| contributions  |      | 4,839,815                      | 4,839,815                  | 3,955,683     | (884,132)   | (18.27%)        | •        |
| Proceeds from disposal of assets   |      | 1,128,679                      | 1,128,679                  | 962,885       | (165,794)   | (14.69%)        | •        |
|  |      | 5,968,494                      | 5,968,494                  | 4,918,568     | (1,049,926) | (17.59%)        |          |
| Outflows from investing activities   |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| Payments for property, plant and equipment   |      | (931,391)                      | (931,391)                  | (791,177)     | 140,214     | 15.05%          |          |
| Payments for construction of infrastructure  |      | (6,698,147)                    | (6,797,763)                | (4,168,418)   | 2,629,345   | 38.68%          |          |
|  |      | (7,629,538)                    | (7,729,154)                | (4,959,595)   | 2,769,559   | 35.83%          |          |
| Amount attributable to investing activities  |      | (1,661,044)                    | (1,760,660)                | (41,027)      | 1,719,633   | 97.67%          |          |
| · ·  |      | (, , ,                         | , , ,                      | , , ,         | , ,         |                 |          |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES   |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| Inflows from financing activities  |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| Transfer from reserves   |      | 236,500                        | 236,500                    | 0             | (236,500)   | (100.00%)       | •        |
|  |      | 236,500                        | 236,500                    | 0             | (236,500)   | (100.00%)       |          |
| Outflows from financing activities   |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| Repayment of borrowings  |      | (1,758,970)                    | (1,758,970)                | (1,739,145)   | 19,825      | 1.13%           |          |
| Transfer to reserves   |      | (783,727)                      | (783,727)                  | (25,186)      | 758,541     | 96.79%          |          |
|  |      | (2,542,697)                    | (2,542,697)                | (1,764,331)   | 778,366     | 30.61%          |          |
|  |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| Amount attributable to financing activities  |      | (2,306,197)                    | (2,306,197)                | (1,764,331)   | 541,866     | 23.50%          |          |
| MOVEMENT IN CURRILIE OF RESIDE   |      |                                |                            |               |             |                 |          |
| MOVEMENT IN SURPLUS OR DEFICIT   |      | E 064 70E                      | 5 064 70F                  | E 706 720     | (GE 000)    | (4 440/\        |          |
| Surplus or deficit at the start of the financial year  |      | 5,861,735                      | 5,861,735                  | 5,796,732     | (65,003)    | (1.11%)         | <b>A</b> |
| Amount attributable to operating activities  |      | (2,040,826)                    | (2,040,826)                | 4,663,794     | 6,704,620   | 328.52%         | <u> </u> |
| Amount attributable to investing activities  |      | (1,661,044)                    | (1,760,660)                | (41,027)      | 1,719,633   | 97.67%          | <b>A</b> |
| Amount attributable to financing activities  Surplus or deficit after imposition of general rates  |      | (2,306,197)                    | (2,306,197)                | (1,764,331)   | 541,866     | 23.50%          | <b>A</b> |
| Surplus of deficit after imposition of general rates   |      | (146,332)                      | (245,948)                  | 8,655,168     | 8,901,116   | 3619.10%        |          |

#### **KEY INFORMATION**

▲▼ Indicates a variance between Year to Date (YTD) Budget and YTD Actual data as per the adopted materiality threshold.

This statement is to be read in conjunction with the accompanying Financial Statements and Notes.

Note: Grants, subsidies and contributions include \$4,791,804 relating to the 2024/2025 Financial Assistance Grant allocation.

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<sup>\*</sup> Refer to Note 3 for an explanation of the reasons for the variance.

# SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

|                               | Actual<br>30 June 2023 | Actual as at 30 June 2024 |  |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| -                             | \$                     | \$                        |  |
| CURRENT ASSETS                |                        |                           |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents     | 12,681,320             | 12,978,940                |  |
| Trade and other receivables   | 968,193                | 5,594,529                 |  |
| Inventories                   | 106,994                | 184,468                   |  |
| Other assets                  | 341,433                | 0                         |  |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS          | 14,097,940             | 18,757,937                |  |
| NON-CURRENT ASSETS            |                        |                           |  |
| Property, plant and equipment | 37,004,212             | 35,880,397                |  |
| Infrastructure                | 101,663,638            | 101,721,282               |  |
| TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS      | 138,667,850            | 137,601,679               |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS                  | 152,765,790            | 156,359,616               |  |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES           |                        |                           |  |
| Trade and other payables      | 1,109,121              | 2,708,556                 |  |
| Other liabilities             | 3,137,374              | 3,316,837                 |  |
| Borrowings                    | 1,739,145              | 0                         |  |
| Employee related provisions   | 420,407                | 409,805                   |  |
| TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES     | 6,406,047              | 6,435,198                 |  |
| NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES       |                        |                           |  |
| Employee related provisions   | 96,127                 | 116,359                   |  |
| Other provisions              | 1,284,051              | 1,284,051                 |  |
| TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES | 1,380,178              | 1,400,410                 |  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES             | 7,786,225              | 7,835,608                 |  |
| NET ASSETS                    | 144,979,565            | 148,524,008               |  |
| EQUITY                        |                        |                           |  |
| Retained surplus              | 37,636,938             | 41,156,195                |  |
| Reserve accounts              | 4,052,190              | 4,077,376                 |  |
| Revaluation surplus           | 103,290,437            | 103,290,437               |  |
| TOTAL EQUITY                  | 144,979,565            | 148,524,008               |  |

This statement is to be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

#### 1 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **BASIS OF PREPARATION**

This prescribed financial report has been prepared in accordance with the *Local Government Act 1995* and accompanying regulations.

#### Local Government Act 1995 requirements

Section 6.4(2) of the Local Government Act 1995 read with the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996, prescribe that the financial report be prepared in accordance with the Local Government Act 1995 and, to the extent that they are not inconsistent with the Act, the Australian Accounting Standards. The Australian Accounting Standards (as they apply to local governments and not-for-profit entities) and Interpretations of the Australian Accounting Standards Board were applied where no inconsistencies exist

The Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 specify that vested land is a right-of-use asset to be measured at cost, and is considered a zero cost concessionary lease. All right-of-use assets under zero cost concessionary leases are measured at zero cost rather than at fair value, except for vested improvements on concessionary land leases such as roads, buildings or other infrastructure which continue to be reported at fair value, as opposed to the vested land which is measured at zero cost. The measurement of vested improvements at fair value is a departure from AASB 16 which would have required the Shire to measure any vested improvements at zero cost.

Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996, regulation 34 prescribes contents of the financial report. Supporting information does not form part of the financial report.

Accounting policies which have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report have been consistently applied unless stated otherwise. Except for cash flow and rate setting information, the financial report has been prepared on the accrual basis and is based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and liabilities.

#### THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT REPORTING ENTITY

All funds through which the Shire controls resources to carry on its functions have been included in the financial statements forming part of this financial report.

All monies held in the Trust Fund are excluded from the financial statements.

#### Judgements and estimates

The preparation of a financial report in conformity with Australian Accounting Standards requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that effect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses.

The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors believed to be reasonable under the circumstances; the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The balances, transactions and disclosures impacted by accounting estimates are as follows:

- estimated fair value of certain financial assets
- · impairment of financial assets
- estimation of fair values of land and buildings, infrastructure and investment property

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICES

Significant accounting policies utilised in the preparation of these statements are as described within the 2023-24 Annual Budget. Please refer to the adopted budget document for details of these policies.

#### PREPARATION TIMING AND REVIEW

Date prepared: All known transactions up to 18 July 2024

# SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

#### **2 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY INFORMATION**

|  |      | Budget      | Actual       | Actual       |
|--|------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| (a) Net current assets used in the Statement of Financial Activity |      | Opening     | as at        | as at        |
|  | Note | 1 July 2023 | 30 June 2023 | 30 June 2024 |
| Current assets   |      | \$          | \$           | \$           |
| Cash and cash equivalents  |      | 4,599,417   | 12,681,320   | 12,978,940   |
| Trade and other receivables  |      | 1,476,313   | 968,193      | 5,594,529    |
| Inventories  |      | 99,624      | 106,994      | 184,468      |
| Other assets   | _    | 0           | 341,433      | 0            |
|  |      | 6,175,354   | 14,097,940   | 18,757,937   |
| Less: current liabilities  |      |             |              |              |
| Trade and other payables   |      | (1,539,720) | (1,109,121)  | (2,708,556)  |
| Other liabilities  |      | 0           | (3,137,374)  | (3,316,837)  |
| Borrowings   |      | 0           | (1,739,145)  | 0            |
| Employee related provisions  |      | (454,101)   | (420,407)    | (409,805)    |
|  | _    | (1,993,821) | (6,406,047)  | (6,435,198)  |
| Net current assets   |      | 4,181,533   | 7,691,893    | 12,322,739   |
| Less: Total adjustments to net current assets                      | 2(c) | (3,634,306) | (1,895,161)  | (3,667,571)  |
| Closing funding surplus / (deficit)                                | _    | 547,227     | 5,796,732    | 8,655,168    |

Amended

#### (b) Non-cash amounts excluded from operating activities

| The following non-cash revenue and expenditure has been excluded from operating activities within the Statement of Financial Activity in | Budget           | YTD       |           |
|--|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| accordance with Financial Management Regulation 32.  | <b>Estimates</b> | Budget    | YTD       |
| Non-cash amounts excluded from operating activities  | 30 June 2024     | Estimates | Actual    |
|  | \$               | \$        | \$        |
| Adjustments to operating activities  |                  |           |           |
| Less: Profit on asset disposals  | (484,308)        | (484,308) | (128,095) |
| Add: Loss on asset disposals   | 75,964           | 75,964    | 123,615   |
| Add: Depreciation  | 5,803,754        | 5,803,754 | 5,067,361 |
| Movement in current employee provisions associated with restricted cash  | 0                | 0         | (8,079)   |
| Non-cash movements in non-current assets and liabilities:  |                  |           |           |
| - Employee provisions  | 0                | 0         | 20,232    |
| Total non-cash amounts excluded from operating activities  | 5,395,410        | 5,395,410 | 5,075,034 |

# (c) Current assets and liabilities excluded from budgeted deficiency

| The following current assets and liabilities have been excluded           |      | Amended     |              |              |
|---|------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| from the net current assets used in the Statement of Financial            |      | Budget      | Actual       | Actual       |
| Activity in accordance with Financial Management Regulation               |      | Opening     | as at        | as at        |
| 32 to agree to the surplus/(deficit) after imposition of general rates.   |      | 1 July 2023 | 30 June 2023 | 30 June 2024 |
|   |      | \$          | \$           | \$           |
| Adjustments to net current assets   |      |             |              |              |
| Less: Reserve accounts  |      | (4,052,190) | (4,052,190)  | (4,077,376)  |
| Add: Current liabilities not expected to be cleared at the end of the yea | r    | ,           |              |              |
| - Current portion of borrowings   |      | 0           | 1,739,145    | 0            |
| - Current portion of employee benefit provisions held in reserve          |      | 417,884     | 417,884      | 409,805      |
| Total adjustments to net current assets                                   | 2(a) | (3,634,306) | (1,895,161)  | (3,667,571)  |

# **CURRENT AND NON-CURRENT CLASSIFICATION**

In the determination of whether an asset or liability is current or non-current, consideration is given to the time when each asset or liability is expected to be settled. Unless otherwise stated assets or liabilities are classified as current if expected to be settled within the next 12 months, being the Council's operational cycle.

# SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

#### **3 EXPLANATION OF MATERIAL VARIANCES**

The material variance thresholds are adopted annually by Council as an indicator of whether the actual expenditure or revenue varies from the year to date actual materially.

The material variance adopted by Council for the 2023-24 year is \$50,000 and 10.00% whichever is the greater.

| Description   | Var. \$    | Var. %    |          |
|---|------------|-----------|----------|
| Payanus from anausting activities   | \$         | %         |          |
| Revenue from operating activities  Rates excluding general rates Interim rating to be completed.  | (91,114)   | (50.68%)  | •        |
| Grants, subsidies and contributions Financial assistance grants and Olabud Doogethu funding received.   | 4,977,720  | 85.60%    | <b>A</b> |
| Interest revenue Interest earnings lower than expected.   | (56,896)   | (14.08%)  | •        |
| Other revenue Adjustment for proceeds on disposal of assets.  | 105,020    | 60.73%    | <b>^</b> |
| Profit on asset disposals Profit on disposals lower than budgeted.  | (356,213)  | (73.55%)  | •        |
| Expenditure from operating activities   |            |           |          |
| Materials and contracts Flood expenditure, consultant and contractor costs are lower than YTD budget.   | 1,262,785  | 23.00%    | •        |
| Utility charges Electricity charges higher than budgeted.   | (61,864)   | (13.54%)  | •        |
| Depreciation Depreciation is yet to be run for June.  | 736,393    | 12.69%    | <b>^</b> |
| Other expenditure Asset disposal costs were well below budget.  | 138,713    | 29.26%    | <b>^</b> |
| Inflows from investing activities Proceeds from capital grants, subsidies and contributions Road projects are behind anticipated, funding yet to be received. | (884,132)  | (18.27%)  | •        |
| Proceeds from disposal of assets Well below budgeted, not all assets disposed.  | (165,794)  | (14.69%)  | •        |
| Outflows from investing activities Payments for property, plant and equipment   | 140,214    | 15.05%    | <u> </u> |
| Plant and equipment purchases less than budgeted.   |            |           |          |
| Payments for construction of infrastructure Budgeted road projects not undertaken to date.  | 2,629,345  | 38.68%    | <b>^</b> |
| Inflows from financing activities Transfer from reserves  | (236,500)  | (100.00%) | _        |
| Year end transfers yet to occur.  | (230,300)  | (100.00%) | ▼        |
| Outflows from financing activities Transfer to reserves   | 758,541    | 96.79%    | <b>A</b> |
| Year end transfers yet to occur.  | 7 00,0 7 1 | 23.1070   | _        |
| Surplus or deficit after imposition of general rates  Due to variances described above Page 72 of 96  | 8,901,116  | 3619.10%  | <b>A</b> |

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### 1 KEY INFORMATION

### **Funding Surplus or Deficit Components**

#### Funding surplus / (deficit) YTD YTD Amended Var. \$ **Budget** Actual Budget (b)-(a) **Opening** \$5.86 M \$5.86 M \$5.80 M (\$0.07 M) Closing (\$0.15 M) (\$0.25 M) \$8.66 M \$8.90 M Refer to Statement of Financial Activity

| Cash and cash equivalents  |               |       |
|----------------------------|---------------|-------|
|                            | % of total    |       |
| <b>Unrestricted Cash</b>   | \$8.90 M      | 68.6% |
| <b>Restricted Cash</b>     | \$4.08 M      | 31.4% |
| Refer to 3 - Cash and Fina | incial Assets |       |

| Trade Payables        | Payables<br>\$2.71 M<br>\$1.54 M | % Outstanding |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| 0 to 30 Days          | \$1.54 W                         | 81.3%         |
| Over 30 Days          |                                  | 18.7%         |
| Over 90 Days          |                                  | 6.4%          |
| Refer to 8 - Payables |                                  |               |
|                       |                                  |               |

| R                        | eceivable | es            |
|--------------------------|-----------|---------------|
|                          | \$4.26 M  | % Collected   |
| Rates Receivable         | \$1.34 M  | 68.7%         |
| Trade Receivable         | \$4.26 M  | % Outstanding |
| Over 30 Days             |           | 50.7%         |
| Over 90 Days             |           | 40.6%         |
| Refer to 6 - Receivables |           |               |

### **Key Operating Activities**

| Amount a           | ttributable to           | operating            | activities         |
|--------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Amended Budg       | YTD<br>get Budget<br>(a) | YTD<br>Actual<br>(b) | Var. \$<br>(b)-(a) |
| (\$2.04 M)         | (\$2.04 M)               | \$4.66 M             | \$6.70 M           |
| Refer to Statement | of Financial Activity    |                      |                    |

| Rat                       | Rates Revenue        |                      |  |
|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--|
| YTD Actual<br>YTD Budget  | \$3.40 M<br>\$3.47 M | % Variance<br>(1.8%) |  |
| Refer to 9 - Rate Revenue |                      |                      |  |

| Grants and Contributions |                       |                     |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| YTD Actual YTD Budget    | \$10.79 M<br>\$5.82 M | % Variance<br>85.6% |
| Refer to 12 - Grants ar  | nd Contributions      |                     |

|  | Fees and Charges |                      |                    |
|--|------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
|  | Actual<br>Budget | \$1.10 M<br>\$1.06 M | % Variance<br>4.2% |
| Refer to Statement of Financial Activity |                  |                      |                    |

### **Key Investing Activities**

| Amount attri               | butable t            | to investing         | gactivities        |
|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Amended Budget             | YTD<br>Budget<br>(a) | YTD<br>Actual<br>(b) | Var. \$<br>(b)-(a) |
| (\$1.66 M)                 | (\$1.76 M)           | (\$0.04 M)           | \$1.72 M           |
| Refer to Statement of Fina | ancial Activity      |                      |                    |

| Proceeds on sale |          |         |
|------------------|----------|---------|
| YTD Actual       | \$0.96 M | %       |
| Amended Budget   | \$1.13 M | (14.7%) |

| Asset Acquisition                 |          |         |  |
|-----------------------------------|----------|---------|--|
| YTD Actual                        | % Spent  |         |  |
| Amended Budget                    | \$6.70 M | (37.8%) |  |
| Refer to 5 - Capital Acquisitions |          |         |  |

| 1 | Capital Grants               |          |            |  |  |
|---|------------------------------|----------|------------|--|--|
| l | YTD Actual                   | \$3.95 M | % Received |  |  |
| l | Amended Budget               | \$4.84 M | (18.3%)    |  |  |
| l | Refer to 5 - Capital Acquisi | tions    |            |  |  |

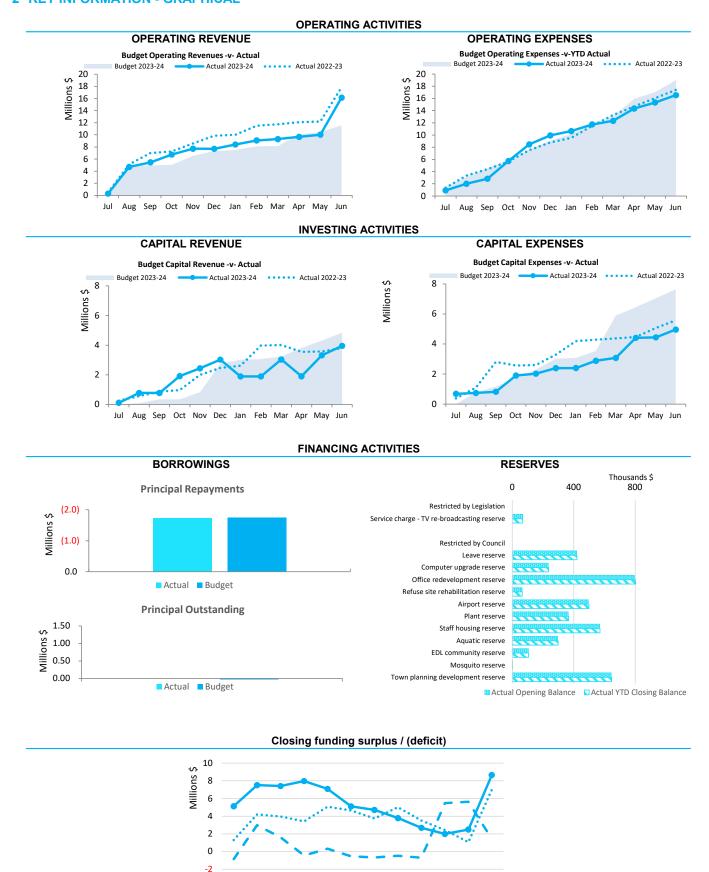
### **Key Financing Activities**

| Amount attri               | butable t            | o financing          | activities         |
|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Amended Budget             | YTD<br>Budget<br>(a) | YTD<br>Actual<br>(b) | Var. \$<br>(b)-(a) |
| (\$2.31 M)                 | (\$2.31 M)           | (\$1.76 M)           | \$0.54 M           |
| Refer to Statement of Fina | ancial Activity      |                      |                    |

| receive etatement or run       | unoidi 7 toli vity     |                         |          |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------|------|--|--|--|--|--|
| E                              | Borrowings             |                         | Reserves |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Principal repayments           | (\$1.74 M)             | Reserves balance        | \$4.08 M |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Interest expense Principal due | (\$0.06 M)<br>\$0.00 M | Interest earned         | \$0.03 M | 0.0% |  |  |  |  |  |
| Refer to 10 - Borrowings       |                        | Refer to 4 - Cash Reser | ves      |      |  |  |  |  |  |

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### **2 KEY INFORMATION - GRAPHICAL**



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### **3 CASH AND FINANCIAL ASSETS**

|   |                                    |              |            | Total      |       |             | Interest | Maturity |
|---|------------------------------------|--------------|------------|------------|-------|-------------|----------|----------|
| Description                             | Classification                     | Unrestricted | Restricted | Cash       | Trust | Institution | Rate     | Date     |
|   |                                    | \$           | \$         | \$         | \$    |             |          |          |
| Cash on hand                            | Cash and cash equivalents          | 800          | 0          | 800        | 0     | NA          | NA       | NA       |
| Municipal Fund - Bank Account.          | Cash and cash equivalents          | 7,764,251    | 0          | 7,764,251  | 0     | NA          | NA       | NA       |
| Post Office - Bank Account.             | Cash and cash equivalents          | 513,550      | 0          | 513,550    | 0     | NA          | NA       | NA       |
| Municipal Fund Bank - Clearing Account. | Cash and cash equivalents          | 231,294      | 0          | 231,294    | 0     | NA          | NA       | NA       |
| Business Online Saver Acount            | Cash and cash equivalents          | 390,332      | 0          | 390,332    | 0     | CBA         | Variable | NA       |
| Reserve Term Deposit                    | Financial assets at amortised cost | 1,337        | 4,077,376  | 4,078,713  | 0     | CBA         | 4.92%    | 03/2025  |
| Total                                   |                                    | 8,901,564    | 4,077,376  | 12,978,940 | 0     |             |          |          |
|   |                                    |              |            |            |       |             |          |          |
| Comprising                              |                                    |              |            |            |       |             |          |          |
| Cash and cash equivalents               |                                    | 8,900,227    | 0          | 8,900,227  | 0     |             |          |          |
| Financial assets at amortised cost      |                                    | 1,337        | 4,077,376  | 4,078,713  | 0     |             |          |          |
|   |                                    | 8,901,564    | 4,077,376  | 12,978,940 | 0     |             |          |          |
|   |                                    |              |            |            |       |             |          |          |

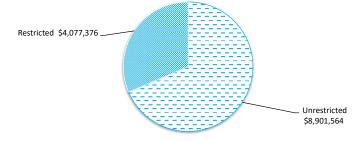
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Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, cash at bank, deposits available on demand with banks and other short term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. Bank overdrafts are reported as short term borrowings in current liabilities in the statement of net current assets.

The local government classifies financial assets at amortised cost if both of the following criteria are met:

- the asset is held within a business model whose objective is to collect the contractual cashflows, and
- the contractual terms give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest.

Financial assets at amortised cost held with registered financial institutions are listed in this note other financial assets at amortised cost are provided in Note 4 - Other assets.



### 4 RESERVE ACCOUNTS

| Reserve name                                | Budget<br>Opening<br>Balance | Budget<br>Interest<br>Earned | Budget<br>Transfers<br>In (+) | Budget<br>Transfers<br>Out (-) | Budget<br>Closing<br>Balance | Actual<br>Opening<br>Balance | Actual<br>Interest<br>Earned | Actual<br>Transfers<br>In (+) | Actual<br>Transfers<br>Out (-) | Actual YTD<br>Closing<br>Balance |
|---|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|   | \$                           | \$                           | \$                            | \$                             | \$                           | \$                           | \$                           | \$                            | \$                             | \$                               |
| Restricted by Legislation                   |                              |                              |                               |                                |                              |                              |                              |                               |                                |                                  |
| Service charge - TV re-broadcasting reserve | 66,965                       | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 66,965                       | 66,965                       | 419                          | 0                             | 0                              | 67,384                           |
| Restricted by Council                       |                              |                              |                               |                                |                              |                              |                              |                               |                                |                                  |
| Leave reserve                               | 417,884                      | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 417,884                      | 417,884                      | 2,596                        | 0                             | 0                              | 420,480                          |
| Computer upgrade reserve                    | 234,663                      | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 234,663                      | 234,663                      | 1,457                        | 0                             | 0                              | 236,120                          |
| Office redevelopment reserve                | 796,307                      | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 796,307                      | 796,307                      | 4,946                        | 0                             | 0                              | 801,253                          |
| Refuse site rehabilitation reserve          | 63,809                       | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 63,809                       | 63,809                       | 396                          | 0                             | 0                              | 64,205                           |
| Airport reserve                             | 495,743                      | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 495,743                      | 495,743                      | 3,080                        | 0                             | 0                              | 498,823                          |
| Plant reserve                               | 364,418                      | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 364,418                      | 364,418                      | 2,263                        | 0                             | 0                              | 366,681                          |
| Staff housing reserve                       | 567,395                      | 0                            | 545,127                       | 0                              | 1,112,522                    | 567,395                      | 3,524                        | 0                             | 0                              | 570,919                          |
| Aquatic reserve                             | 295,293                      | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 295,293                      | 295,293                      | 1,848                        | 0                             | 0                              | 297,141                          |
| EDL community reserve                       | 105,199                      | 0                            | 0                             | 0                              | 105,199                      | 105,199                      | 654                          | 0                             | 0                              | 105,853                          |
| Mosquito reserve                            | 2,030                        | 0                            | 2,100                         | 0                              | 4,130                        | 2,030                        | 13                           | 0                             | 0                              | 2,043                            |
| Town planning development reserve           | 642,484                      | 0                            | 236,500                       | (236,500)                      | 642,484                      | 642,484                      | 3,990                        | 0                             | 0                              | 646,474                          |
|   | 4,052,190                    | 0                            | 783,727                       | (236,500)                      | 4,599,417                    | 4,052,190                    | 25,186                       | 0                             | 0                              | 4,077,376                        |

### **5 CAPITAL ACQUISITIONS**

|  | Amen      | ded        |            |             |
|--|-----------|------------|------------|-------------|
|  | Budget    | YTD Budget | YTD Actual | YTD Actual  |
| Capital acquisitions                         |           |            |            | Variance    |
|  | \$        | \$         | \$         | \$          |
| Buildings                                    | 360,393   | 270,393    | 270,393    | 0           |
| Plant & Equipment                            | 570,998   | 660,998    | 520,784    | (140,214)   |
| Acquisition of property, plant and equipment | 931,391   | 931,391    | 791,177    | (140,214)   |
| Infrastructure Assets-Roads                  | 4,076,246 | 4,076,837  | 2,173,034  | (1,903,803) |
| Infrastructure Assets-Other                  | 2,621,901 | 2,720,926  | 1,995,384  | (725,542)   |
| Acquisition of infrastructure                | 6,698,147 | 6,797,763  | 4,168,418  | (2,629,345) |
| Total capital acquisitions                   | 7,629,538 | 7,729,154  | 4,959,595  | (2,769,559) |
| Capital Acquisitions Funded By:              |           |            |            |             |
| Capital grants and contributions             | 4,839,815 | 4,839,815  | 3,954,394  | (885,421)   |
| Other (disposals & C/Fwd)                    | 1,128,679 | 1,128,679  | 962,885    | (165,794)   |
| Reserve accounts                             |           | _          |            | _           |
| Town planning development reserve            | 236,500   | 0          | 0          | 0           |
| Contribution - operations                    | 1,424,544 | 1,760,660  | 42,316     | (1,718,344) |
| Capital funding total                        | 7,629,538 | 7,729,154  | 4,959,595  | (2,769,559) |

### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Each class of fixed assets within either plant and equipment or infrastructure, is carried at cost or fair value as indicated less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Assets for which the fair value as at the date of acquisition is under \$5,000 are not recognised as an asset in accordance with *Financial Management Regulation 17A(5)*. These assets are expensed immediately.

Where multiple individual low value assets are purchased together as part of a larger asset or collectively forming a larger asset exceeding the threshold, the individual assets are recognised as one asset and capitalised.

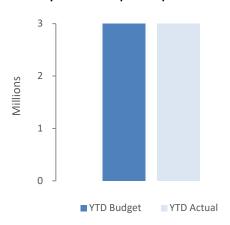
### Initial recognition and measurement for assets held at cost

Plant and equipment including furniture and equipment is recognised at cost on acquisition in accordance with *Financial Management Regulation 17A*. Where acquired at no cost the asset is initially recognise at fair value. Assets held at cost are depreciated and assessed for impairment annually.

### Initial recognition and measurement between mandatory revaluation dates for assets held at fair value

In relation to this initial measurement, cost is determined as the fair value of the assets given as consideration plus costs incidental to the acquisition. For assets acquired at zero cost or otherwise significantly less than fair value, cost is determined as fair value at the date of acquisition. The cost of non-current assets constructed by the Shire includes the cost of all materials used in construction, direct labour on the project and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overheads.

### **Payments for Capital Acquisitions**



### **5 CAPITAL ACQUISITIONS - DETAILED**

### Capital expenditure total Level of completion indicators

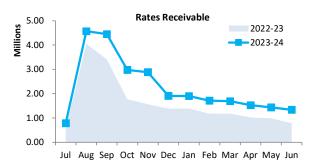


Percentage Year to Date Actual to Annual Budget expenditure where the expenditure over budget highlighted in red.

|     | Level of completion inc | dicator, please see table at the end of this note for further | Amo<br>Current | ended<br>Year to Date | Year to Date | Variance     |
|-----|-------------------------|---|----------------|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|
|     |                         | Account Description   | Budget         | Budget                | Actual       | (Under)/Over |
|     | Capital                 | ·   | J              | J                     |              | ,            |
|     | Expenditure             |   |                |                       |              |              |
|     | Buildings               |   |                |                       |              |              |
|     | 00451755                | ADMIN CCTV UPGRADES   | 270,393        | 270,393               | 270,393      | 0            |
|     | <b>Buildings Total</b>  |   | 270,393        | 270,393               | 270,393      | 0            |
|     | Plant & Equipment       |   |                |                       |              |              |
|     | 00101696                | Refuse Collection - Plant & Equipment.                        | 250,000        | 250,000               | 133,575      | (116,425)    |
| 4   | 00123721                | Capital Purchase - Accomodation Van.                          | 200,000        | 200,000               | 189,675      | (10,325)     |
|     | 00123738                | CHIPPER TRUCK   | 10,000         | 10,000                | 0            | (10,000)     |
| 4   | 00123750                | HD PRESSURE WASHER  | 5,000          | 5,000                 | 0            | (5,000)      |
| 4   | 00123757                | HEAVY ROAD TRUCK  | 92,718         | 92,718                | *            | 0            |
| 4   | 00451751                | CEO Vehicle Purchase  | 73,280         | 73,280                | *            | 1,536        |
| 4   | 00128721                | ASSET PICKUP  | 30,000         | 30,000                | ,            | 0            |
|     | Plant & Equipment       | : Total   | 660,998        | 660,998               | 520,784      | (140,215)    |
|     | Infrastructure Ass      | sets-Roads  |                |                       |              |              |
|     | 00120000                | ROADS - CAPITAL WORKS   | 4,076,246      | 4,076,246             | 734,599      | (3,341,647)  |
|     | 00140193                | PWKS MRWA - Duncan Rd Expenditure.                            | 591            | 591                   | 0            | (591)        |
| 4   | 00120500                | ROADS - FLOOD DAMAGE CAPITAL WORKS                            | 0              | 0                     | .,           | 1,438,435    |
|     | Infrastructure Asse     | ets-Roads Total   | 4,076,837      | 4,076,837             | 2,173,034    | (1,903,802)  |
|     | Infrastructure Ass      |   |                |                       |              |              |
|     | 00108701                | CEMETERY IMPROVEMENTS   | 17,480         | 17,480                | ,            | 0            |
| 4   | 00115704                | Capital - Sports Field Upgrade.                               | 1,721,792      | 1,721,792             |              | (845,468)    |
| -dl | 00120503                | Capital Town Centre Upgrade.                                  | 981,654        | 981,654               | , - ,        | 119,925      |
|     | Infrastructure Asse     | ets-Other Total   | 2,720,926      | 2,720,926             | 1,995,384    | (725,543)    |
|     | Grand Total             |   | 7,729,154      | 7,729,154             | 4,959,595    | (2,769,561)  |

### **6 RECEIVABLES**

| Rates receivable               | 30 June 2023 | 30 Jun 2024 |  |  |
|--------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--|--|
|                                | \$           | \$          |  |  |
| Opening arrears previous years | 566,498      | 781,696     |  |  |
| Levied this year               | 3,342,311    | 3,490,884   |  |  |
| Less - collections to date     | (3,127,113)  | (2,934,302) |  |  |
| Gross rates collectable        | 781,696      | 1,338,278   |  |  |
| Net rates collectable          | 781,696      | 1,338,278   |  |  |
| % Collected                    | 80.0%        | 68.7%       |  |  |



| Receivables - general Credit         |             | Current 30 Days |         | 60 Days | 90+ Days  | Total     |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|
|                                      | \$          | \$              | \$      | \$      | \$        | \$        |
| Receivables - general                | (14,133)    | 1,974,662       | 377,300 | 22,792  | 1,614,074 | 3,974,695 |
| Percentage                           | (0.4%)      | 49.7%           | 9.5%    | 0.6%    | 40.6%     |           |
| Balance per trial balance            |             |                 |         |         |           |           |
| Trade receivables                    |             |                 |         |         |           | 3,974,695 |
| Other receivables                    |             |                 |         |         |           | 86,870    |
| GST receivable                       |             |                 |         |         |           | 230,251   |
| Allowance for credit losses of trade | receivables |                 |         |         |           | (70,870)  |
| Rates pensioner rebates              |             |                 |         |         |           | 861       |
| ESL receivable                       |             |                 |         |         |           | 34,444    |
| Total receivables general outstan    | iding       |                 |         |         |           | 4,256,251 |

Amounts shown above include GST (where applicable)

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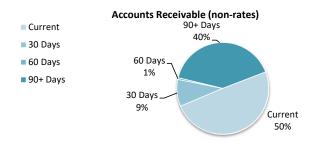
Trade and other receivables include amounts due from ratepayers for unpaid rates and service charges and other amounts due from third parties for goods s and services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Trade receivables are recognised at original invoice amount less any allowances for uncollectable amounts (i.e. impairment). The carrying amount of net trad receivables is equivalent to fair value as it is due for settlement within 30 days.

### Classification and subsequent measurement

Receivables which are generally due for settlement within 30 days except rates receivables which are expected to be collected within 12 months are classified as current assets. All other receivables such as, deferred pensioner rates receivable after the end of the reporting period are classified as non-current assets

Trade and other receivables are held with the objective to collect the contractual cashflows and therefore the Shire measures them subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.



### **7 OTHER CURRENT ASSETS**

| Other current assets                               | Opening<br>Balance<br>1 July 2023 | Asset<br>Increase | Asset<br>Reduction | Closing<br>Balance<br>30 June 2024 |  |
|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--|
|  | \$                                | \$                | \$                 | \$                                 |  |
| Inventory  |                                   |                   |                    |                                    |  |
| Fuel   | 21,520                            | 42,614            | 0                  | 64,134                             |  |
| Stock on hand                                      | 85,474                            | 34,860            | 0                  | 120,334                            |  |
| Other assets                                       |                                   |                   |                    |                                    |  |
| Accrued income                                     | 341,433                           | 0                 | (341,433)          | 0                                  |  |
| Total other current assets                         | 448,427                           | 77,474            | (341,433)          | 184,468                            |  |
| Amounts shown above include GST (where applicable) |                                   |                   |                    |                                    |  |

### **KEY INFORMATION**

### Inventory

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

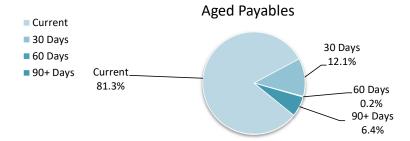
Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

### **8 PAYABLES**

| Payables - general Credit          |                  | Current   | 30 Days | 60 Days | 90+ Days | Total     |
|------------------------------------|------------------|-----------|---------|---------|----------|-----------|
|                                    | \$               | \$        | \$      | \$      | \$       | \$        |
| Payables - general                 | 0                | 1,251,155 | 185,422 | 3,804   | 98,300   | 1,538,681 |
| Percentage                         | 0.0%             | 81.3%     | 12.1%   | 0.2%    | 6.4%     |           |
| Balance per trial balance          |                  |           |         |         |          |           |
| Sundry creditors                   |                  |           |         |         |          | 1,538,681 |
| Accrued expenses                   |                  |           |         |         |          | 74,069    |
| ATO liabilities                    |                  |           |         |         |          | 289,122   |
| Other payables                     |                  |           |         |         |          | 404,333   |
| Bonds held                         |                  |           |         |         |          | 136,732   |
| Payroll liabilities                |                  |           |         |         |          | 204,127   |
| Excess rates                       |                  |           |         |         |          | 61,492    |
| Total payables general outstanding |                  |           |         |         |          | 2,708,556 |
| Amounts shown above include GST (v | vhere applicable | )         |         |         |          |           |

### **KEY INFORMATION**

Trade and other payables represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Shire prior to the end of the period that are unpaid and arise when the Shire becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services. The amounts are unsecured, are recognised as a current liability and are normally paid within 30 days of recognition. The carrying amounts of trade and other payables are considered to be the same as their fair values, due to their short-term nature.



### 9 RATE REVENUE

| General rate revenue    |               |                   |            |           | Budget       |           |           | YTD Actual   |           |
|-------------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
|                         | Rate in       | Number of         | Rateable   | Rate      | Interim      | Total     | Rate      | Interim      | Total     |
|                         | \$ (cents)    | <b>Properties</b> | Value      | Revenue   | Rate Revenue | Revenue   | Revenue   | Rate Revenue | Revenue   |
| RATE TYPE               |               |                   |            | \$        | \$           | \$        | \$        | \$           | \$        |
| Gross rental value      |               |                   |            |           |              |           |           |              |           |
| Town                    | 0.08627       | 341               | 14,089,939 | 1,215,539 | 116,238      | 1,331,777 | 1,107,494 | (57,762)     | 1,049,732 |
| Town vacant             | 0.05000       | 15                | 65,580     | 3,279     | 0            | 3,279     | 1,907     | 0            | 1,907     |
| Unimproved value        |               |                   |            |           |              |           |           |              |           |
| Rural/Pastoral          | 0.04613       | 47                | 15,853,500 | 731,322   | 0            | 731,322   | 731,322   | 0            | 731,322   |
| Mining                  | 0.38320       | 41                | 2,161,558  | 828,309   | 0            | 828,309   | 904,180   | 0            | 904,180   |
| Prospecting/Exploration | 0.21840       | 281               | 2,613,805  | 570,855   | 0            | 570,855   | 695,516   | 19,550       | 715,066   |
| Sub-Total               |               | 725               | 34,784,382 | 3,349,304 | 116,238      | 3,465,542 | 3,440,419 | (38,212)     | 3,402,207 |
| Minimum payment         | Minimum Paymo | ent \$            |            |           |              |           |           |              |           |
| Gross rental value      | -             |                   |            |           |              |           |           |              |           |
| Town                    | 851           | 3                 | 5,100      | 2,553     | 0            | 2,553     | 2,553     | 0            | 2,553     |
| Town vacant             | 1,093         | 12                | 43,300     | 13,116    | 0            | 13,116    | 17,488    | 0            | 17,488    |
| Unimproved value        |               |                   |            |           |              |           |           |              |           |
| Rural/Pastoral          | 921           | 18                | 61,600     | 16,578    | 0            | 16,578    | 18,420    | 0            | 18,420    |
| Mining                  | 880           | 7                 | 6,800      | 6,160     | 0            | 6,160     | 5,280     | 0            | 5,280     |
| Prospecting/Exploration | 548           | 258               | 88,387     | 141,384   | 0            | 141,384   | 44,936    | 0            | 44,936    |
| Sub-total               |               | 298               | 205,187    | 179,791   | 0            | 179,791   | 88,677    | 0            | 88,677    |
| Total general rates     |               |                   |            |           | -            | 3,645,333 |           |              | 3,490,884 |

### **10 BORROWINGS**

### **Repayments - borrowings**

|                           |          |             |           |        | Principal   |             | Principal   |          | Interest   |        |
|---------------------------|----------|-------------|-----------|--------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------|------------|--------|
| Information on borrowings |          |             | New Loans |        | Repa        | ayments     | Outstanding |          | Repayments |        |
| Particulars               | Loan No. | 1 July 2023 | Actual    | Budget | Actual      | Budget      | Actual      | Budget   | Actual     | Budget |
|                           |          | \$          | \$        | \$     | \$          | \$          | \$          | \$       | \$         | \$     |
| Triplex                   | 23       | 74,438      | 0         | 0      | (74,438)    | (26,477)    | 0           | 47,961   | (1,148)    | 0      |
| Housing units             | 25       | 439,270     | 0         | 0      | (439,270)   | (498,202)   | 0           | (58,932) | (33,732)   | 0      |
| Plant expenditure         | 26       | 1,225,437   | 0         | 0      | (1,225,437) | (1,234,291) | 0           | (8,854)  | (22,571)   | 0      |
| Total                     |          | 1,739,145   | 0         | 0      | (1,739,145) | (1,758,970) | 0           | (19,825) | (57,451)   | 0      |
|                           |          |             |           |        |             |             |             |          |            |        |
| Current borrowings        |          | 1,739,145   |           |        |             |             | 0           |          |            |        |
|                           |          | 1,739,145   |           |        |             |             | 0           |          |            |        |

All debenture repayments were financed by general purpose revenue.

### **KEY INFORMATION**

Borrowing costs are recognised as an expense when incurred except where they are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset. Where this is the case, they are capitalised as part of the cost of the particular asset until such time as the asset is substantially ready for its intended use or sale.

Fair values of borrowings are not materially different to their carrying amounts, since the interest payable on those borrowings is either close to current market rates or the borrowings are of a short term nature. Non-current borrowings fair values are based on discounted cash flows using a current borrowing rate.

### 11 OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES

| Other current liabilities               | Note | Opening<br>Balance 1<br>July 2023 | Liability<br>transferred<br>from/(to) non<br>current | Liability<br>Increase<br>\$ | Liability<br>Reduction<br>\$ | Closing<br>Balance 30<br>June 2024 |
|---|------|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Other liabilities                       |      |                                   |  |                             |                              |                                    |
| Contract liabilities                    |      | 2,493,639                         | 0  | 179,463                     | 0                            | 2,673,102                          |
| Capital grant/contributions liabilities |      | 643,735                           | 0  | 0                           | 0                            | 643,735                            |
| Total other liabilities                 |      | 3,137,374                         | 0  | 179,463                     | 0                            | 3,316,837                          |
| Employee Related Provisions             |      |                                   |  |                             |                              |                                    |
| Provision for annual leave              |      | 275,154                           | 0  | 218                         | (10,820)                     | 264,552                            |
| Provision for long service leave        |      | 145,253                           | 0  | 0                           | 0                            | 145,253                            |
| Total Provisions                        |      | 420,407                           | 0  | 218                         | (10,820)                     | 409,805                            |
| Total other current liabilities         |      | 3,557,781                         | 0  | 179,681                     | (10,820)                     | 3,726,642                          |

A breakdown of contract liabilities and associated movements is provided on the following pages at Note 12 and 13

### **KEY INFORMATION**

### **Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the Shire has a present legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured.

Provisions are measured using the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation at the end of the reporting period.

### **Employee Related Provisions**

Amounts shown above include GST (where applicable)

#### Short-term employee benefits

Provision is made for the Shire's obligations for short-term employee benefits. Short-term employee benefits are benefits (other than termination benefits) that are expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the annual reporting period in which the employees render the related service, including wages, salaries and sick leave. Short-term employee benefits are measured at the (undiscounted) amounts expected to be paid when the obligation is settled.

The Shire's obligations for short-term employee benefits such as wages, salaries and sick leave are recognised as a part of current trade and other payables in the calculation of net current assets.

### Other long-term employee benefits

The Shire's obligations for employees' annual leave and long service leave entitlements are recognised as employee related provisions in the statement of financial position.

Long-term employee benefits are measured at the present value of the expected future payments to be made to employees. Expected future payments incorporate anticipated future wage and salary levels, durations of service and employee departures and are discounted at rates determined by reference to market yields at the end of the reporting period on government bonds that have maturity dates that approximate the terms of the obligations. Any remeasurements for changes in assumptions of obligations for other long-term employee benefits are recognised in profit or loss in the periods in which the changes occur. The Shire's obligations for long-term employee benefits are presented as non-current provisions in its statement of financial position, except where the Shire does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least 12 months after the end of the reporting period, in which case the obligations are presented as current provisions.

### Contract liabilities

An entity's obligation to transfer goods or services to a customer for which the entity has received consideration (or the amount is due) from the customer.

### Capital grant/contribution liabilities

Grants to acquire or construct recognisable non-financial assets to identified specifications be constructed to be controlled by the Shire are recognised as a liability until such time as the Shire satisfies its obligations under the agreement.

### 12 GRANTS, SUBSIDIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS

|  | Unspent grant, subsidies and contributions liability |           |              |                  |             |           |           | Grants, subsidies and contributions revenue |  |  |  |
|--|--|-----------|--------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|---|--|--|--|
|  | Uns  |           | Decrease in  | contributions in | Current     | Amended   | revenue   |   |  |  |  |
| Provider   | Liability  | Liability | Liability    | Liability        | Liability   | Budget    | YTD       | YTD Revenue                                 |  |  |  |
| Flovidei   | 1 July 2023  | Liability | (As revenue) | 30 Jun 2024      | 30 Jun 2024 | Revenue   | Budget    | Actual                                      |  |  |  |
|  | \$   | \$        | \$           | \$               | \$          | \$        | \$        | \$  |  |  |  |
| Grants and subsidies                                   | Ψ  | Ψ         | Ψ            |                  | Ψ           | Ψ         | •         | *   |  |  |  |
| Grant - FAGS Untied WALCGG.                            | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 219,728   | 219,728   | 4.047.060                                   |  |  |  |
| Grant - FAGS Operating.                                | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 159.183   | 159,183   | 1,123,654                                   |  |  |  |
| GRANT CCTV   | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 100,000   | 100,000   | 75.000                                      |  |  |  |
| GRANT - ABORIGINAL HEALTH                              | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 290.845   | 290,845   | 516,647                                     |  |  |  |
| SMALL GRANTS - ABORIGINAL HEALTH                       | 56.400   | 0         | 0            | 56,400           | 56,400      | 173.749   | 173,749   | 15,000                                      |  |  |  |
| GRANT - DEPT OF HEALTH - MOSQUITO CONTROL              | 30,400   | O         | O            | 30,400           | 30,400      | 170,740   | 170,740   | 10,000                                      |  |  |  |
| CHEMICALS  | 173.749  | 0         | 0            | 173.749          | 173.749     | 12.000    | 12,000    | 19,949                                      |  |  |  |
| FEDERAL FUNDING ADMIN                                  | 1,547  | 0         | 0            | 1,547            | 1,547       | 20.000    | 20,000    | 875,000                                     |  |  |  |
| PHILANTHROPIC FUNDING ADMINISTRATION                   | 1.121.090  | 0         | 0            | 1.121.090        | 1,121,090   | 558,000   | 558.000   | 075,000                                     |  |  |  |
| FEDERAL FUNDING CI                                     | 1,121,030  | 0         | 0            | 1,121,030        | 1,121,090   | 80.000    | 80.000    |   |  |  |  |
| State Funding CI.                                      | 4.153  | 0         | 0            | 4.153            | 4,153       | 180.000   | 180.000   | 180.683                                     |  |  |  |
| FEDERAL FUNDING YENO                                   | 4,133  | 0         | 0            | 4,133            | 4,155       | 50.000    | 50.000    | 160,063                                     |  |  |  |
| STATE FUNDING YENO                                     | 164  | 0         | 0            | ~                | -           | ,         |           |   |  |  |  |
|  |  | -         | -            | 164              | 164         | 343,000   | 343,000   | 325,641                                     |  |  |  |
| FEDERAL FUNDING REMOTE YOUTH                           | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 227,500   | 227,500   | (   |  |  |  |
| FEDERAL FUNDING AE                                     | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 60,000    | 60,000    | (   |  |  |  |
| INCOME NIAA OLABUD DOOGETHU YENO                       | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 0         | 0         | 59,595                                      |  |  |  |
| STATE FUNDING AE                                       | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 0         | 0         | 343,000                                     |  |  |  |
| STATE FUNDING MTA                                      | 73,139   | 0         | 0            | 73,139           | 73,139      | 0         | 0         | C   |  |  |  |
| STATE FUNDING FDV                                      | 45   | 0         | 0            | 45               | 45          | 0         | 0         | C   |  |  |  |
| FEDERAL FUNDING NAVIGATOR                              | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 0         | 0         | 227,813                                     |  |  |  |
| Grant - R2R Funding                                    | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 0         | 0         | C   |  |  |  |
| Direct Grant   | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 258,637   | 258,637   | 258,637                                     |  |  |  |
| DR FAWA - Flood Damage (Income)                        | 1,028,352  | 0         | -            | 1,028,352        | 1,028,352   | 2,500,000 | 2,500,000 | 2,237,864                                   |  |  |  |
|  | 2,458,639  | 0         | 0            | 2,458,639        | 2,458,639   | 5,232,642 | 5,232,642 | 10,305,543                                  |  |  |  |
| Contributions  |  |           |              |                  |             |           |           |   |  |  |  |
| DOT Licensing - Commission.                            | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 20,176    | 20,176    | 1,532                                       |  |  |  |
| Contributions - DOT (DPI) Licensing Wages.             | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 33,022    | 33,022    | 14,222                                      |  |  |  |
| Commission Income - Post Office.                       | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 169,655   | 169,655   | 251,620                                     |  |  |  |
| Australia Post Comm Received                           | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 110,000   | 110,000   | C   |  |  |  |
| Grant - FESA ESL Contributions.                        | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 4,000     | 4,000     | 4,000                                       |  |  |  |
| Reimbursements - Town Planning.                        | 35,000   | 0         | 0            | 35,000           | 35,000      | 35,000    | 35,000    | C   |  |  |  |
| SUBSIDY - STREET LIGHTING                              | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 0         | 0         | 5,298                                       |  |  |  |
| Reimbursement & Contributions - Traineeships           | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 38,435    | 38,435    | 38,435                                      |  |  |  |
| SUNDRY INCOME  | 0  | 179,463   | 0            | 179,463          | 179,463     | 0         | 0         | C   |  |  |  |
| Private Works Reimbursement - Basketball Court Revenue | 0  | 0         | 0            | 0                | 0           | 172,155   | 172,155   | 172,155                                     |  |  |  |
|  | 35,000   | 179,463   | 0            | 214,463          | 214,463     | 582,443   | 582,443   | 487,262                                     |  |  |  |
| TOTALS   | 2,493,639  | 179,463   | 0            | 2,673,102        | 2,673,102   | 5,815,085 | 5,815,085 | 10,792,805                                  |  |  |  |
| TOTALO   | 2,433,033  | 113,403   | U            | 2,073,102        | 2,013,102   | 3,013,003 | 3,013,003 | 10,732,003                                  |  |  |  |

### 13 CAPITAL GRANTS, SUBSIDIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS

|   |                          |                          | dies and<br>enue                         |                          |                                     |                              |               |                          |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| Provider  | Liability<br>1 July 2023 | Increase in<br>Liability | Decrease in<br>Liability<br>(As revenue) | Liability<br>30 Jun 2024 | Current<br>Liability<br>30 Jun 2024 | Amended<br>Budget<br>Revenue | YTD<br>Budget | YTD<br>Revenue<br>Actual |
|   | \$                       | \$                       | \$                                       | \$                       | \$                                  | \$                           | \$            | \$                       |
| apital grants and subsidies   |                          |                          |  |                          |                                     |                              |               |                          |
| STATE FINDING MTA   | 0                        | 0                        | 0  | 0                        | 0                                   | 73,000                       | 73,000        | 0                        |
| INCOME - WA BICYCLE GRANTS PROGRAM                                  | 97,050                   | 0                        | 0  | 97,050                   | 97,050                              | 0                            | 0             | 0                        |
| Grant - R2R Funding   | 0                        | 0                        | 0  | 0                        | 0                                   | 350,028                      | 350,028       | 804,003                  |
| GRANT - MRWA RRG/RPG NON-OPERATING<br>GRANT - LOCAL ROADS COMMUNITY | 0                        | 0                        | 0  | 0                        | 0                                   | 2,322,000                    | 2,322,000     | 928,995                  |
| INFRASTRUCTURE  | 0                        | 0                        | 0  | 0                        | 0                                   | 1,319,218                    | 1,319,218     | 0                        |
| DRFA WA INCOME  | 0                        | 0                        | 0  | 0                        | 0                                   | 0                            | 0             | 401,057                  |
| GRANT - RADS AIRPORT NON-OPERATING                                  | 0                        | 0                        | 0  | 0                        | 0                                   | 15,000                       | 15,000        | 0                        |
| Grant Income - Town Centre Upgrade.                                 | 546,685                  | 0                        | 0  | 546,685                  | 546,685                             | 100,000                      | 100,000       | 1,300,000                |
| GRANT - OVAL UPGRADE  | 0                        | 0                        | 0  | 0                        | 0                                   | 660,569                      | 660,569       | 511,628                  |
| GRANT - Women's Shelter   | 0 0 0 0                  |                          | 0  | 0                        | 10,000                              |                              |               |                          |
|   | 643,735                  | 0                        | 0  | 643,735                  | 643,735                             | 4,839,815                    | 4,839,815     | 3,955,683                |

### **14 BUDGET AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to original budget since budget adoption. Surplus/(Deficit)

|  |                    |                    | Increase in | Decrease in | Amended               |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------|
|  |                    |                    | Available   | Available   | <b>Budget Running</b> |
| Description                                      | Council Resolution | Classification     | Cash        | Cash        | Balance               |
|  |                    |                    | \$          | \$          | \$                    |
| Budget adoption                                  |                    |                    |             |             | 0                     |
| Opening surplus                                  | Res. 2024/131      | Operating revenue  | 1,725,232   | 0           | 1,725,232             |
| Grants, subsidies and contributions              | Res. 2024/131      | Operating revenue  | 153,278     | 0           | 1,878,510             |
| Fees and charges                                 | Res. 2024/131      | Operating revenue  | 115,756     | 0           | 1,994,266             |
| Interest revenue                                 | Res. 2024/131      | Operating revenue  | 222,800     | 0           | 2,217,066             |
| Other revenue                                    | Res. 2024/131      | Operating revenue  | 0           | (72,192)    | 2,144,874             |
| Profit on asset disposals                        | Res. 2024/131      | Operating revenue  | 484,308     | 0           | 2,629,182             |
| Employee costs                                   | Res. 2024/131      | Operating expenses | 0           | (299,667)   | 2,329,515             |
| Materials and contracts                          | Res. 2024/131      | Operating expenses | 0           | (1,265,623) | 1,063,892             |
| Utility charges                                  | Res. 2024/131      | Operating expenses | 16,500      | 0           | 1,080,392             |
| Insurance  | Res. 2024/131      | Operating expenses | 88,373      | 0           | 1,168,765             |
| Other expenditure                                | Res. 2024/131      | Operating expenses | 0           | (36,591)    | 1,132,174             |
| Loss on asset disposals                          | Res. 2024/131      | Operating expenses | 0           | (75,964)    | 1,056,210             |
| Capital grants, susbidies and contributions      | Res. 2024/131      | Capital revenue    | 663,569     | 0           | 1,719,779             |
| Proceeds from disposal of assets                 | Res. 2024/131      | Capital revenue    | 849,025     | 0           | 2,568,804             |
| Purchase of land and buildings                   | Res. 2024/131      | Capital expenses   | 6,107       | 0           | 2,574,911             |
| Purchase of plant and equipment                  | Res. 2024/131      | Capital expenses   | 24,002      | 0           | 2,598,913             |
| Purchase of construction of infrastructure other | Res. 2024/131      | Capital expenses   | 0           | (2,336,901) | 262,012               |
|  |                    |                    | 4,348,950   | (4,086,938) | 262,012               |

### 9.4.4 2024/2025 UV Differential Rates - Application for Ministerial Approval

| ITEM NUMBER:            | 9.4.4   |
|-------------------------|---|
| REPORTING OFFICER:      | Muhammad Siddique, Executive Manager Finance & Support Services |
| SENIOR OFFICER          | Susan Leonard, Chief Executive Officer                          |
| MEETING DATE:           | 25 July 2024  |
| DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST: | Nil   |

### 1.0 Matter for Consideration

1.1 To consider and authorise for the Chief Executive Officer to submit an application seeking ministerial approval to impose 2024/25 Unimproved (UV) Differential Rates where the highest rate is more than twice the lowest differential general rate.

### 2.0 Background

- 2.1 A workshop was held with council members on 17 April 2024 to examine the shire's rating structure and to perform rate modelling scenarios in preparation for the 2024/25 draft budget.
- 2.2 Initial estimates of the budgeted deficiency for the 2024/25 financial year have been considered along with the plan for the future of the district.
- 2.3 Consideration was given to the efficiency measures which have been factored into the draft budget papers including cost saving measures to:
  - 2.3.1 Use alternative suppliers;
  - 2.3.2 Contract out works where effective; and
  - 2.3.3 Rationalisation of shire plant and fleet.
- 2.4 The rating principals were also considered during the councillor workshop to examine the shire's rating structure and the rates in the dollar proposed for 2024/25, consideration was given to:
  - 2.4.1 Objectivity;
  - 2.4.2 Fairness and Equity;
  - 2.4.3 Consistency;
  - 2.4.4 Transparency; and
  - 2.4.5 Administrative Efficiency.
- 2.5 It is proposed to impose a differential UV rate which is more than twice the lowest differential general rate. In the draft budget for 2024/25, the proposed rates include:
  - 2.5.1 GRV General Rate: \$0.095 (minimum payment \$1,100);
  - 2.5.2 UV Rural: \$0.04613 (minimum payment \$1,100); and
  - 2.5.3 UV Mining \$0.3832 (minimum payment \$1,100).

- 2.6 In accordance with Section 6.33(3) of the *Local Government Act 1995* ministerial approval is required to impose differential UV rates in the dollar as UV Mining (0.3832) is more than twice the proposed rate in the dollar for UV Rural (0.04613).
- 2.7 At its Ordinary Council Meeting held 18 April 2024, Council resolved (Resolution 2024/145):

'That Council authorise the Acting Chief Executive Officer to:

- 1. Give local public notice of the intention to impose 2024/25 UV differential rates;
  - Rural, rate in the dollar \$0.04613 (minimum payment \$1,100)
  - Mining, rate in the dollar \$0.383200 (minimum payment \$1,100)
- 2. Seek submissions in relation to the proposed imposition of 2024/25 UV differential rates as required by legislation;
- 3. Publish the prepared 2024/25 Statement of Objects and Reasons explaining the proposed rates intended to be imposed as attached;
- 4. Following close of the notice period required by legislation inviting submissions noted above, prepare a report for Council to consider any submissions prior to making application for ministerial approval under section 6.33(3) of the *Local Government Act 1995* to impose 2024/25 UV differential rates.'
- 2.8 Shire officers have completed required advertising for differential rates to comply with legislation. This included advertising information on the intent to impose differential rates for 2024/25 and where to obtain further information and a statement of objects and reasons for differential rating.
- 2.9 The statutory timeframe required for advertising and inviting public submissions in accordance with section 6.36(2) of the *Local Government Act 1995* is 21 days and closed on Friday, 12 July 2024.
- 2.10 Advertising methods to comply with local public notice requirements included the following publications:
  - 2.10.1Kimberley Echo Newspaper 2 May 2024
  - 2.10.2West Australian 2 May 2024 and 20 June 2024
  - 2.10.30n the Shire's social media (Facebook) account 1 May 2024 12 July 2024;
  - 2.10.4On local government notice boards 1 May 2024 12 July 2024; and
  - 2.10.50n the official local government website 1 May 2024 12 July 2024.
- 2.11 Initial advertising was published including a closing date of 22 May 2024, and additional public notices were placed extending the closing date for submissions to 12 July 2024 to comply with the statutory timeframe for advertising.

### 3.0 Comments

- 3.1 At the close of the advertising period where submissions could be made, no submissions were received for consideration by council.
- 3.2 A copy of the newspaper advertisement showing the date of publication is required to be submitted with the application for ministerial approval. This is attached for information (Appendix 9.4.4A).
- 3.3 Following completion of the statutory processes required for advertising, application can now be made (as detailed in section 2.0 Background) seeking ministerial approval to impose a differential general rate for unimproved properties which are more than twice the lowest differential general rate imposed as follows:
  - Rural, rate in the dollar \$0.04613 (minimum payment \$1,100)
  - Mining, rate in the dollar \$0.3832 (minimum payment \$1,100)
- 3.4 Once approval from the Minister has been received, the 2024/25 proposed differential rates can be considered for adoption within the 2024/25 budget.

### 4.0 Statutory Environment

### 4.1 Local Government Act 1995

- Section 1.7 Sets out the requirements for local public notice.
- Section 2.7(2) Provides that Council is to oversee the allocation of local government finances and resources and to determine the local government policies.
- Section 3.1 Provides that the general function of the local government is to provide for the good government of persons in its district.
- Section 6.33(3)

Provides that in imposing a differential general rate a local government is not to, without the approval of the Minister, impose a differential general rate which is more than twice the lowest differential general rate imposed by it.

Section 6.36

Provides that before imposing differential general rates which is more than twice the lowest differential general rate imposed by it, a local government is to provide local public notice of its intention to do, and to also consider any submissions received before imposing the rate with or without modification.

### 4.2 Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996

### Regulation 3A(2)

Includes detail for the purposes of s.1.7 of the Act outlining the requirements for publication of local public notice.

### 5.0 Strategic Implications

### 5.1 Objective:

4. Civic: Working together to strengthen leadership and effective governance.

### 5.2 Outcome:

4.1 A local government that is respected and accountable

### 5.3 Strategy:

Civic - 4.1.1 Provide strong, effective and functional governance and leadership in the Shire

### 6.0 Policy Implications

6.1 There are no known policy implications arising from this report.

### 7.0 Financial Implications

7.1 There are no additional costs associated with an application to the Minister. The proposed rates in the dollar for differential rates have been considered in the draft budget preparations and provide for a balanced budget. Expenditure and income associated with the imposition of rates will be included in the 2024/25 budget.

### 8.0 Sustainability Implications

### 8.1 Environmental

There are no significant identifiable environmental impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

### 8.2 Economic

There are no significant identifiable economic impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

### 8.3 Social

There are no significant identifiable social impacts arising from adoption of the officer's recommendation.

### 8.4 Risk

This item has been evaluated against the Shire's Risk Management Framework, Risk Assessment Matrix. The perceived level of risk is 9 prior to treatment. The adoption of the recommendations as presented will result in reassessed 4 level of risk.

### 9.0 Officer Recommendation

### That Council:

- 1. ACKNOWLEDGE the consideration for the Shire of Halls Creek's Plan for the Future and rating principals in the setting of the 2024/25 rates;
- 2. ACKNOWLEDGE the budget efficiencies considered at a Councillor Workshop held on Wednesday, 17 April 2024 considering the 2024/25 differential rates proposed, cost cutting measures informing the budget and the 2024/25 expenditure and income for the shire;
- 3. ACKNOWLEDGE no submissions were received during the statutory advertising period for differential rates as required by Section 6.36 of the *Local Government Act 1995*; and
- 4. AUTHORISE the Chief Executive Officer to make an application seeking approval from the Minister to impose 2024/25 differential general rates for unimproved properties where the highest rate is more than twice the lowest differential general rate:
  - Rural, rate in the dollar \$0.04613 (minimum payment \$1,100)
  - Mining, rate in the dollar \$0.3832 (minimum payment \$1,100)

### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**: Simple Majority

Appendix:

9.4.4A - Copy of Advertisement – 2024/25 Differential Rating [with date of publication from newspaper]

ARMADALE - KELMSCOTT

SYKES (Robert Joseph): Family and friends of the late Robert (Bob) Sykes of Bedford are cordially invited to celebrate his Bedford life at the Bowling Club, MONE (24.06.2024) at 3.00pm. MONDAY

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### SHIRE OF HALLS CREEK PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO LEVY DIFFERENTIAL RATES --2024/2025 FINANCIAL YEAR

accordance with Section in accordance with Section 6.36 of the Local Government Act 1995, notice is given to ratepayers and electors that the Shire of Halls Creek intends to impose the following differential rates for the Unimproved Value rate categories as follows:

Rate Category - Unimproved

Rurol: Rate in the Dollar - 0,04613 Minimum Payment - \$1,100

Mining: Rate in the Dollar – 0.38320 Minimum Payment ~ \$1,100

Rate Category – Gross Rental Value

GRV: Rate in the Dollar - 0,095 Minimum Payment - \$1,100

Submissions by ratepayers and electors in respect of the proposed rates are n nvited. Submissions are HOW be submitted to the Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Halls Creek, PO Box 21 Halls Creek WA 6770 or be emailed to hoshire@hoshire.wa.gov.au Submissions are to be Submissions are to be received by 4.00pm on Friday 12 July 2024:

A Statement of the Objectives and Reasons for the proposed rates is available from the Shire of Halls Creek:

Main Office: 2 Halls Street, Halls Creek WA 6770 between 8.00am to 4.00pm Monday to Friday; and

Website: https://www.hallscreek.wa .gov.su/ ; or

By contacting Muhammad Siddique – Executive Manager Finance via telephone on (08) 9168 6007.

Susan Leonard -Chief Executive Officer 18 June 2024

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Agenda for the Ordinary Meeting of Council held 25 July 2024 m Justice Contre, 28 Barrack Street, Porth WA 6000 on 26th June 2024 for a grant of Latters of Administration of the estate of the deceased who died intestate.

Intestate.
All persons having claims against the estate of the deceased are required to send particulars of their claims to 3/40 Coode Street, Mount Lawley WA 8050 by 4th July 2024 after which date the administrator may distribute the assets having regard only to the claims of which she then has notice. then has notice. Dated this Th June 2024. 20th Thursday

### THE ESTATE OF MURIEL RHONDA WHISSON (DECEASED)

DATE OF DEATH: 26 May 2022

TAKE NOTICE that ASHLEY DANIEL SHIELDS of C/- HFM Logal, PO Box 1 Maddington, WA 5989 in the State of Western Australia, the executor of the will of MURIEL RHONDA WHISSON, late of 11 Graveney Way, Maddington, Western Australia came (Deceased) Maddington, Western Western Australia, carer (Deceased) intends to distribute the estate of the Deceased one month after the date of this notice:

Creditors and any other person having a claim against the estate of the Decessed should send full details of their claim to HFM Legal, PO Box 1 Maddington, WA 5989, before the expiration of that period failing which the executor may convey or distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice. has notice.

### TRUSTEES ACT 1962

Deceased Estates

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the matter of the Estate of Ena Willemsen, late of 8 Sartorial Place, Greenfields, Western Australia, deceased.

Creditors and other persons having claims (to which Section 53 of the Trustees Act 1962 rolates) in respect of the estate of the above-named deceased, who died on 27 December 2023, are required by the Executor, James Illich, to send the particulars of their claims to PO Box 260, Claremont, WA 6910 within one month of the date of publication of this notice, after which date the Executor may convey or notice, af Executor executor may convey or distribute the assets having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice.

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JACKSON: The Funeral Service for Mr Edwin (Jacko) Jackson JP retired Police Officer of restred Police Officer of Cambrai Village Morrowa will be held in the West Chapel at Pinnario Valley Memorial Park, Whitfords Avenue, Padbury at 2603am on WEDNESDAY (25.06.2024). A private burial will be held afferwards.



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The Funeral Service to celebrate the life of Stephanie Alma Lynch of Busselton will take place in The Bantry Criapel, 105 Bussell Highway, BUSSELTON commitments at 11:00am on THURSDAY morning (27.05.2024).

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The Funeral Mass for the
late Mr Visho Marevic of
Spearwood will be held
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Murster FRIDAY (28.06.24)
commencing at 7:00pm.
To join the family via
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RICHARDSON:
The Funeral Service for the late Mrs. Patricia Richardson of Broomshill will be celebrated in the St. Patrick's Catholic Church Kafarning. Amherst St, Katanning on WEDNESDAY (26.6.2024) Commencing at 10.30am. Following the Cortego will proceed to the BROOMEHILL Cemetery for Burtal.



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Smith: Family and triends are warmly invited to celebrate the life of Graene Cyril Smith of Oakford, at the Serpontine Church Of Christ, 93 Torkin Street Serpontine on SATURIDAY (22.05.2024) commencing at 1:30pm.



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SYKES (Robert Joseph): Family and friends of the late Flobert (Bob) Sykes of Bedford are obtdially invited to celebrate his the at the Bedford Bowling Club, MONEAY (24.05.2024) at 3.00pm.

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### Local Govt. **Notices**

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Nil.

### 11. NEW DECISIONS OF AN URGENT NATURE INTRODUCED BY DECISION OF THE MEETING

Nil.

### 12. MATTERS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

### **Procedural Motion**

That this meeting be closed to the members of the general public at \_\_\_\_\_\_ and that Council move behind closed doors to consider:

### 12.1.1 CEO Authorisation and Reporting to Council - June 2024

Pursuant to s5.23(2) (e) of the Local Government Act 1995 being:

1.1 The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with section 5.23 (2) (a) of the Local Government Act 1995 being it deals with a matter affecting employees of the Shire.

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That Council come out from behind closed doors and that this meeting reopen to members of the general public at \_\_\_\_\_.

### 13. CLOSURE OF MEETING