

## APPENDICES

# ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

ITEMS 12.1 - 12.14

To Be Held

Wednesday, 26 August 2020 Commencing at 5.00pm

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Shire of Dardanup
ADMINISTRATION CENTRE EATON
1 Council Drive - EATON



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<b>OVERALL RISK EVENT:</b>		Renewal of Lease- Dardanup Equestrian Centre	up Equestrian Ce	entre				
RISK THEME PROFILE:	FILE:							
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FINANCIAL IMPACT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	Failing to review and renew the lease agreement will be in breach of current lease terms	Minor (2)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
REPUTATIONAL	Council would be seen in a negative light if we failed to meet our contractual and legislative requirements.	Minor (2)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.

From: <u>Dardanup Equestrian Centre</u>

To: <u>Donna Bailye</u>

Cc: <u>Michael Dellagostino</u>; <u>Catherine Hanley</u>

**Subject:** Dardanup Equestrian Centre-Renewal of Lease (expiry date 15/9/20)

**Date:** Monday, 10 August 2020 3:15:51 PM

#### Good Afternoon Donna,

Further to your email to Mick Della our President and our telephone conversation this afternoon, the Dardanup Equestrian Centre lease expires on 15/9/20 and we would like to renew this lease.

The equestrian centre committee would like to renew the lease for a further 21 years as per our last lease agreement if this option is available.

Please make contact if any other information regarding the grounds is needed or if council/councillors would like to visit the grounds and discuss how the four clubs use the grounds.

#### Regards

Catherine Miller Secretary 0419 925653

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16 July 2020

Mr Andre Schonfeldt CEO, Dardanup Shire Council PO Box 7016 EATON WA 6232

Dear Andre

#### FERGUSON VALLEY MARKETING INC.- TRADERS PERMIT APPLICATION

#### Reference:

a. Email from Shire of Dardanup Principal Environmental Health Officer/FVM dated 24 June 2020

b. Strategic Community Planc. Gnomesville Master Plan

Ferguson Valley Marketing Inc. (FVM) recently applied for a Trader's Permit to enable statistics to be gather whilst at the same time selling Gnomesville books and gnomes during the July 2020 school holidays. FVM was advised via reference A, that its application required further consideration by the Shire, and it will not be able to be processed by the required time.

**FERGUSON VALLEY MARKETING INC** 

FVM would wishes to initiate a Traders Permit Application for the September 2020 school holidays (26 September – 11 October 2020). In preparing such an application FVM notes that reference B, Outcome 4.2 states:

4.2.2 Develop and grow the tourism potential of Gnomesville. Very High

Additionally, reference C also identifies a location (1) for a Pop-up Visitor Centre.

FVM Inc is appreciative of the fact that the local community does not support commercial activity at Gnomesville and it wishes to arrange a meeting with local community members to further discuss the Ferguson Valley Visitor Centre "only" being able to collect statistics and handout Ferguson Valley Touring and Attractions maps and sell some limited items whilst collecting this data. We also acknowledge that the local community may see this as the thin edge and we wish to reassure them that no other commercial activity would be undertaken noting the location of their properties to Gnomesville.

We look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely

P. SMITH
FVM Inc Chairman

#### Attachment

A. Traders Permit Application for 26 September – 11 October 2020



## APPLICATIO (Apprendix ORD: 12.2B) TRADER'S PERMIT

Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Local Law Local Government Act 1995

**FORM 203** 

Date stamp

Pa	art 1 Applicant Details Applicant Name	
	Ferguson Valley Marketing Inc	
	Business Name (if applicable)	
	Ferguson Valley Marketing Inc	
	Name of Community Group (if applicable)	
	Community Association under Section 242 (Fee Exemption) of the Local Government Act?	
	X Yes No	
	Residential Address	
5	5 Ferguson Road	
	DARDANUP WA	
	Postal Address (if different to Residential)	
	PO Box 7180	
	EATON WA	
	Home Phone Mobile Phone	
	0447 266 885	
	Work Phone Fax	
	Email Address	
	marketing@fergusonvalley.net.au	
De	art 2 Location of Trading Activity Details	
	Location Name (if applicable)	
	Gnomesville	
	Lot No Street Name	
	Eastern Junction Roundabout of Wellington Mill Road and Ferguson Road	
	Suburb	Post Code
	Wellington Mill	6236
	Weilington will	0230
Pa	art 3 Trade Vehicle Details  Make & Model	Registration Number
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Pa	art 4 Type of Trading Activity Proposed	
	Type (eg: Itinerant vending – be descriptive)  1. Obtain tourism statistics for Gnomesville	
	<ol> <li>Limited sale of Gnomesville products</li> <li>Brochure distribution during the period 26 Sep – 11 Oct 2020</li> </ol>	
	Product/Service to be sold/hired  1. Gnomesville Books	Number of Assistants
	2. Gnomes,	2-3
	3. FV Touring and Attractions Map  Description of proposed stands, tables, structures, equipment, or vehicle/s to be used:	
	Table, 2 chairs and popup tent,	
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Wednesday	10am	4pm	Sunday	10am	4pm		
Thursday	10am	4pm					
Part 6 Declaration							
	formation provided in this form ment <i>(refer Part 7)</i> included <i>(ple</i>						
Signature of A	Signature of Applicant Date						
	16 July 2020						

#### Part 7 Fees and Terms & Conditions

#### **Application Fees**

Application / Renewal - \$78

#### Plus one of the following fees:

- Per Day \$8 (x number of days permit is sought)
- Per Week \$21 (x number of weeks permit is sought)
- Per Month \$26 (x number of months permit is sought)
- Per Year \$129 (x number of years permit is sought)

#### Please note:

- The local government may require an applicant provide additional information before determining an application for a permit.
- b) The local government may require an applicant give public notice of the application for the permit.
- The local government may refuse to approve an application for a permit. c)
- Permits are valid for one (1) year from the date on which it is issued unless it is otherwise stated on the permit. d)
- A permit may be cancelled by the local government if the permit holder has not complied with a condition of the permit. e)
- Trading in thoroughfares and public places must comply with the Shire of Dardanup Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and f) Trading Local Law 2009, and any other relevant local law, or state law.

#### Part 8 Return form to

Shire of Dardanup 1 Council Drive/PO Box 7016 EATON WA 6232

Phone: (08) 9724 0300 Fax: (08) 9724 0091 Email: records@dardanup.wa.gov.au



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FINANCIAL IMPACT	Visitors to the Gnomesville not being aware of the existence of complementary businesses and other attractions in the region.	Minor (2)	Likely (4)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Council approves Ferguson Valley Marketing's application for Trader's Permit to operate Pop-up visitor centre at Gnomesville over September 2020 school holidays.	Insignificant (1)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	High (12 - 19)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	W/A	Not required.	Minor (2)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)
REPUTATIONAL	The Shire perceived as not supportive of businesses, or encouraging tourism/visitors, in its district.	Minor (2)	Possible (3)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Council approves Ferguson Valley Marketing's application for Trader's Permit to operate Pop-up visitor centre at Gnomesville over September 2020 school holidays.	Insignificant (1)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)
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**FINAL REPORT** 

**BUREKUP COMMUNITY FACILITIES PLAN** 

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Report - Burekup Community Facilities Plan

#### 1. Executive Summary

The Burekup Community Facilities Plan provides advice on the short, medium and long term community facilities to be considered in the Shire's forward plans. It has been prepared following assessment of existing facilities and extensive consultation with the community, including a survey, stakeholder interviews, and two community workshops in 2019 plus public advertising for final comment, a Councillor workshop and a community meeting in 2020. The plan was reviewed and amended following each of these stages and is now presented to Council as the final version of the Plan for endorsement. This August 2020 version of the report supersedes the March 2020 draft version of the report and is presented to Council together with the final draft plan.

### Report – Burekup Community Facilities Plan

#### 2. Project Team

The following chart provides the project personnel structure:

**Project Sponsor** 

Luke Botica

Director Engineering & Development Services

Project Manager

Nathan Ryder

Manager Infrastructure Planning and Design

Project Co-ordinator

**James Reilly** 

Project Development Engineer

Project Officer

Vicki Pretorius

Landscape Design Officer

Project Team Advisor

Principal Planning Officer

Cecilia Muller

Project Team Advisor

Manager -Recreation Services

John Kowal

Project Team Administrator

PA Director Infrastructure Peta Nolan Other staff as required

Т	HIS REPORT IS APPROVED FOR USE	
Name	Signature	Date
Luke Botica Director Infrastructure		12 August 2020

#### 3. Project Details

#### 3.1 Background

The aim of this study was to produce the Burekup Community Facilities Plan (the Plan) and Report.

The Plan provides a visual representation of all current and proposed facilities that have resulted from the research together with community and other stakeholder consultation undertaken in the study. The Plan provides advice on the short, medium and long term community facilities to be considered in the Shire's forward plans. It documents projects which are already included in the Shire's Asset Management Plans as well as proposed future improvements identified by the community as desirable including those which would require the cooperation of an external agency or group to implement.

For the purposes of this project, the term 'facilities' is inclusive of all Shire assets and infrastructure, including buildings, formal recreational amenities, community playgrounds, public artworks, tourist amenities, paths, roads, drainage systems, precinct signage, lighting and other public amenities; as well as green spaces such as public open space, environmental corridors, trails and other nature spaces, and streetscapes. The terms 'facilities plan' and 'master plan' can be considered to be interchangeable in this regard.

This report provides the textual component of the Plan, and includes detailed information illustrating how background research, sound planning principles and best practice asset management underpin the recommended facilities. The report provides a link between information derived from the community and stakeholder consultation process and the resulting Community Facilities Plan.

The culmination of the works undertaken provide the Shire of Dardanup with a well-researched summary of community and stakeholder expectations together with proposals for community facilities and other improvements that are based upon the study, together with best planning and financial practices. The resulting plan seeks to encourage visitors from both within and outside the Burekup community and support local economic growth as well as community development.

#### 3.2 Strategic Alignment

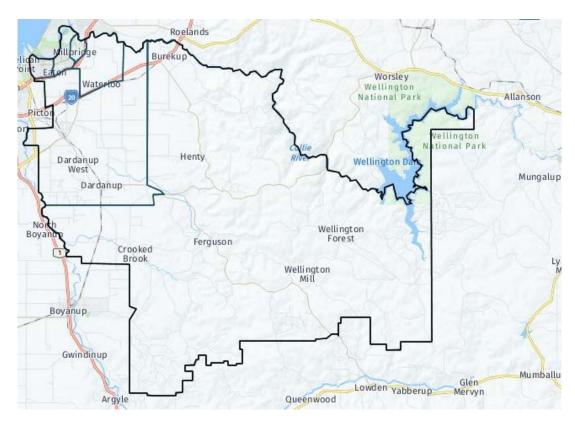
The Burekup Facilities Plan project meets Objective 5 of the Shire of Dardanup Strategic Community Plan which states the Shire will work towards the provision and maintenance of facilities, infrastructure and services to promote the shire as an attractive and desirable place to live.

#### 3.3 Population & Demographic Growth

Facilities within the proposed study area (the main 'town block', as described in Section 3.5) serve the interests of both those living in the townsite as well as the surrounding rural area residents for a range of functions including commercial, postal, educational, recreational and other social / cultural aspects. The target population has been defined accordingly. The Plan takes into consideration the needs and wishes of all those who are identified as project stakeholders below.

In 2016, the total population of Burekup and District was estimated to be 1,541 people with a population of 800 people living in the Local Government locality of Burekup and 604 living in the townsite and immediate surrounds.

The broader Burekup and District area is bounded by the Collie River to the north, the Mungalup township to the east, the Shire of Donnybrook-Balingup to the south, and the South Western Highway and Dowdells Line to the west (see map below). It includes the localities of Burekup, Henty, Ferguson, Crooked Brook, Wellington Mill and Wellington Forest.



Burekup and District is expected to increase by over 54 people to 1,595 by 2031, at an average annual growth rate of 0.23%. This is based on an increase of over 46 households during the period, with the average number of persons per household falling from 2.72 to 2.60 by 2031. The greatest population change for Burekup and District is forecast for the period from 2037 to 2041, which is expected to have a net increase of 145 people. (*Sources: ABS 2016 Census QuickStats and Forecast ID population forecast for Shire of Dardanup.*)

#### **Age Distribution**

The following table shows the forecast age struture by 5 year age group:-

Burekup·and·District·-· Total·persons <b>¤</b>	201	<b>6</b> ¤	203	1¤		2041	Change·between·2016· and·2041¤
Age·group·(years)¤	Number¤	%¤	Number¤	%¤	Number¤	%ц	Number¤
0-to-4¤	102¤	6.6¤	106⊭	6.7¤	130¤	7.0¤	+29¤
5-to-9¤	137¤	8.9¤	122¤	7.6¤	149¤	8.0¤	+12¤
10-to-14¤	104¤	6.7¤	109¤	6.8¤	128¤	6.9¤	+24¤
15-to-19¤	105¤	6.8¤	85¤	5.4¤	99¤	5.3¤	-6¤
20-to-24¤	74¤	4.8¤	70¤	4.4¤	81¤	4.4¤	+6¤
25-to-29¤	68¤	4.4¤	72¤	4.5¤	89¤	4.8¤	+20¤
30-to-34¤	97¤	6.3¤	98¤	6.2¤	121¤	6.5¤	+24¤
35-to-39¤	94¤	6.1¤	108¤	6.8¤	132¤	7.1¤	+37¤
40-to-44¤	82¤	5.3¤	91¤	5.7¤	111¤	6.0¤	+29¤
45-to-49¤	116¤	7.6¤	80¤	5.0¤	91¤	4.9¤	-25¤
50-to-54¤	114¤	7.4¤	82¤	5.1¤	96¤	5.2¤	-18¤
55-to-59¤	125¤	8.1¤	90¤	5.6¤	103¤	5.5¤	-22¤
60-to-64¤	120¤	7.8¤	124¤	7.8¤	110¤	5.9¤	-10¤
65-to-69¤	94¤	6.1¤	120⊭	7.5¤	113¤	6.1¤	+19¤
70-to-74¤	61¤	4.0¤	115¤	7.2¤	123¤	6.6¤	+62¤
75-to-79¤	21¤	1.4¤	73¤	4.6¤	90¤	4.8¤	+69¤
80-to-84¤	20⊭	1.3¤	38¤	2.4¤	65¤	3.5¤	+45¤
85-and-over¤	7¤	0.5¤	13¤	0.8¤	25¤	1.4¤	+18¤
Total-persons¤	1,541¤	100.0¤	1,595¤	100.0¤	1,856¤	100.0¤	+314¤

 $Population \cdot and \cdot household \cdot forecasts, \cdot 2016 \cdot to \cdot 2041, \cdot prepared \cdot by \cdot .id \cdot, \cdot the \cdot population \cdot experts, \cdot October \cdot population \cdot experts \cdot population \cdot population \cdot experts \cdot population \cdot population \cdot experts \cdot population \cdot pop$ 

2018.

In 2016, the dominant age structure for persons in Burekup and District was ages 5 to 9, which accounted for 8.9% of the total persons.

The largest increase in persons between 2016 and 2031 is forecast to be in ages 70 to 74, which is expected to increase by 53 and account for 7.2% of the total persons.

The largest 5 year age group in 2031 is 60 to 64 years, with a total of 124 persons.

#### 3.4 Existing Community Facilities

The following are the main existing facilities within the study area:

#### Buildings / civic facilities

- Burekup Community Hall, including the Burekup Country Club premises and the Club's outdoor area / enclosed playground;
- Public toilet block, located adjacent but separate to the Burekup Community Hall;
- Amphitheatre at west end of oval, backing onto the tennis courts;
- Burekup Volunteer Bushfire Brigade facilities, including fire shed, yard and two stand pipes (one in yard, one on Hutchinson Road).

#### Sport and recreational facilities

- Community Playground (used by the school and broader community);
- Skate park;
- Sports courts three tennis courts and one basketball court;
- Oval and perimeter including cricket pitch, cricket nets, AFL and soccer goals;
- Cricket Club shed (located on Shire land but owned and maintained by the Cricket Club.)

#### Roads and streetscapes

- Public roads and laneways;
- Public pathways;
- Lighting;
- Street trees and other landscaping;
- Signage;
- Bus stops;
- Amenities such as bins;
- Stormwater facilities including subsurface and open drains;
- The irrigation channel (such as at the southern end of Hutchinson Road.)

#### Public open space areas

#### • Gardiner Reserve and Burekup Oval

This is the primary open space area for the townsite and is bounded by Russell Road to the north, Gardiner Street to the west, Gibson Terrace to the south and the River Valley Primary School to the east.

#### Shier Reserve

This is a linear reserve located south of Shier Rise, west of Kingia Close and north of Crampton Road.

#### McCaughan Park

This is a small park located across the road from the Burekup General Store within the broader railway reserve.

#### Sykes Reserve

This is a small park located on the corner of Gardiner Street and Sykes Avenue.

#### Clarke Street Road Reserve

This is a narrow strip of land located between the constructed section of Clarke Street and Crampton Road.

Section 3.6.1 below contains additional information regarding the existing facilities outlined above in 'Assessment of existing community facilities.'

#### 3.5 Project Boundary

The proposed study area encompasses the main 'town block', including the streetscape on both sides of Russell Road, Shenton Road, Crampton Road and Hutchinson Road; as well as the linear reserve corridor stretching along the railway from Hutchinson Road to the Collie river.



#### 3.6 Scope & Deliverables

A Project Team was formed to undertake the following deliverables. The outcomes of each deliverable is outlined below:-

#### 3.6.1 Assess existing plans and documentation

A review of existing plans and policies affecting the locality was undertaken including:

- Existing Developer Contribution Plan;
- Greater Bunbury Region Scheme;
- Shire of Dardanup Local Planning Strategy;
- Shire of Dardanup Town Planning Scheme No.3;
- Burekup Townsite Expansion Strategy 2009;
- Expected growth in the area and; and
- Any other relevant planning mechanisms.

#### **Existing Developer Contribution Plan**

Land currently zoned as Urban Deferred has the potential to be developed in the future to provide additional residential blocks and associated facilities within the Burekup townsite to provide for future population growth as required. The feasibility of some projects included in

the Plan, particularly those nominated for the Urban Deferred zoned land and immediate vicinity, will be dependent on the development of this land in order to secure the funding that would be required for implementation.

It is most likely that this funding would be derived from Developer Contributions at the rate which is current at the time of Development. Developers are required to provide a certain percentage of total development area as useable public open space developed to a satisfactory standard or as cash in lieu of open space, which is then used by the Shire to improve local open space areas.

#### **Greater Bunbury Region Scheme**

The Greater Bunbury Region Scheme (GBRS) guides land use and provides the legal basis for planning in the Greater Bunbury region. The Greater Bunbury Region Scheme (GBRS) identifies the townsite as 'Urban' and as 'Urban deferred.' Land currently zoned as Urban Deferred is located in the southern corner of town and is highlighted on the Plan.

The process to the WA Planning Commission (WAPC) to lift the Urban Deferred zoning under the GBRS is a separate process and it is linked to an endorsed structure plan which is yet to be commenced for a number of lots in Burekup. Land currently zoned Urban Deferred is located in the southern quadrant of the townsite and is highlighted on the Plan as 'Future development area.'

#### **Shire of Dardanup Local Planning Strategy**

The Shire of Dardanup *Local Planning Strategy* (Strategy) was endorsed by the Western Australian Planning Commission (WAPC) in May 2015. The Strategy identifies townsite expansion in accordance with the *Burekup Townsite Expansion Strategy*. The implementation of the Strategy suggests that land within the expansion area is to be identified as 'Development' within a 'Special Control Area' for structure planning in LPS9.

#### Shire of Dardanup Town Planning Scheme No.3

The Shire of Dardanup's Town Planning Scheme (TPS) consists of the Scheme Text and Scheme Maps. The Scheme determines where certain developments and land uses can occur, depending on the zoning of the land.

Map 8 of the TPS relates to the Burekup Townsite. The majority of the townsite is classified as either Residential or General Farming (the latter being zoned 'Urban Deferred' for possible future development.) Other local scheme zones include School, Business — Commercial, Public Utilities and Other Community (church use.) Open space areas are classified 'Recreation' and are Local Scheme Reserves. The railway corridor, which includes McCaughan Park, the CWA Hall and the current informal BMX track, is zoned as 'Railways' within the Region Scheme Reserves category of the Greater Bunbury Regional Scheme (GBRS.)

#### **Burekup Townsite Expansion Strategy 2009**

The Burekup Townsite Expansion Strategy (BTES) contains a structure plan relevant to the Plan.

There is an approved subdivision for Lot 75 where the subdivision layout makes provision for the extension of Sykes Avenue to connect to Clarke Street through existing Lot 75; and the proposed subdivision layout makes provision for the extension of Atkinson Road to connect to Clarke Street along the southern boundary of existing Lot 75.

In addition to the above, it is noted that the structure plan contained within the BTES includes a number of planning policy statements, addressing matters pertaining to the future development of the structure plan area.

#### Expected growth in the area

The population forecast for Burekup is included in the table shown above in 'Section 3.3 – Population & Demographic Growth.'

The Burekup and Districts area is expected to increase by over 54 people to 1,595 by 2031, at an average annual growth rate of 0.23%. This is based on an increase of over 46 households during the period, with the average number of persons per household falling from 2.72 to 2.60 by 2031. (Source: ABS 2016 Census QuickStats.)

The greatest population change for Burekup and District is forecast for the period from 2037 to 2041, which is expected to have a net increase of 145 people.

The largest increase in persons between 2016 and 2031 is forecast to be in ages 70 to 74, which is expected to increase by 53 and account for 7.2% of the total persons.

The largest 5 year age group in 2031 is 60 to 64 years, with a total of 124 persons.

What these forecast figures indicate is that the population of the study area and the surrounding population which it services is not likely to experience any significant growth for approximately another 20 years. It is anticipated that at this time the Wanju development nearby will have started to be rolled out, with new facilities available close to Burekup.

#### Any other relevant planning mechanisms

While not directly related to the Burekup townsite, the development of the future proposed city of Wanju (to be located less than 5km from Burekup) may have implications for the level of future facilities service provision within Burekup. Residents of the Burekup locality may have new sporting and other facilities available close by in Wanju so all proposed future longer term projects may be subject to consideration of feasibility with respect to the Wanju District Structure Plan and associated Planning frameworks that are borne from it. Subsequently, a review of the Burekup Community Facilities Plan might be considered in the future.

#### Land tenure / management responsibility

There is an existing licence agreement between the Shire of Dardanup and the Minister for Education, dated 2015, for the shared use of facilities for sporting and recreational purposes at River Valley Primary School. This allows the school to use Shire facilities such as the oval and community playground, subject to certain terms and conditions which include shared maintenance responsibility.

The Shire currently leases a portion of the Railway Reserve from railway authority ARC Infrastructure, for the purposes of providing public open space and associated amenities within the area known as McCaughan Park for the benefit of the community and visitors.

#### Assessment of existing community facilities

Existing community facilities within the study area are detailed below:

Facility	Comments:
Buildings / civic facilities	
Burekup Community	Including the Burekup Country Club premises and the Club's
Hall	outdoor area / enclosed playground. In good condition.
Public toilet block	Located adjacent but separate to the Burekup Community
I dono conce brook	Hall. Not easily accessible by people of all abilities. Community
	expressed desire for toilets to be upgraded.
Amphitheatre at west	Backs onto the tennis courts. Shade sails provide shade in
end of oval	summer for community use including events.
Burekup Volunteer	Including fire shed, yard and two stand pipes (one in yard, one
Bushfire Brigade	on Hutchinson Road.) Yard is unsealed (gravel). Fire Brigade
facilities	expressed desire for short standpipe in yard and standpipe in
ladineres	Hutchison Road to be upgraded.
Sport and recreational	Tracerisori Roda to be approaced.
facilities	
Community Playground	Used by the school and broader community. Shade from existing
	large trees is provided from the afternoon sun; no shade is
	provided from the eastern side of the playground for morning
	use. Some older style equipment (some wear) with newer
	playground elements added to the eastern side.
Skate park	Consists of a flat concrete slab and moveable metal skate
	equipment, some of which has been decorated with street art.
Sports courts	Three tennis courts and one basketball court. Some surface
	cracking. Hand ball wall between basketball court and
	northern tennis court.
Oval and perimeter	Including cricket pitch, cricket nets, AFL and soccer goals.
·	Some uneven areas in oval and surrounds – including concrete
	lids.
Cricket Club shed	Located on Shire land but owned and maintained by the Cricket
	Club for their purposes.
Roads and streetscapes	
Public roads and	Existing local roads are maintained by the Shire.
laneways	
Public pathways	Existing pathways are maintained by the Shire. Some uneven
	areas and missing links in the pathway network. Corner of
	Shenton Road and Russell Road narrow, with gravel on surface.
Lighting	Existing lighting maintained by the Shire.
Street trees and other	Some street trees are located along main roads including Russell
landscaping	Road. Shenton Road is lined on both sides by mature Eucalyptus
	which establishes a unique 'cathedral' landscape character
	much valued by the local community. Large Eucalypts along
	Hutchison Road frame the southwestern edge of town; several
	are in close proximity to the drainage channel and have been
	damaged in recent storms, with some trees requiring removal.
Signage	Some signage is weathered and difficult to read including old
	faded town 'welcome' sign at far north end of Russell Road.

Facility	Comments:
Bus stops	One bus stop is located along Russell Road. This features a
'	cutout Pelican motif (as used in the Eaton-Millbridge area.)
Amenities such as bins	Predominantly wheelie bins. Maintained regularly by the Shire.
Stormwater facilities	Open ditch drains run along Crampton Road and a small section
including subsurface	of Shenton Road where Shier Creek passes underneath the
and open drains	roadway. Maintained regularly by the Shire.
The irrigation channel	Concreted open irrigation drains run from Henty Road and
3.1.1.1	Crampton Road along Hutchison Road. Some sections along
	Hutchison Road have been impacted by adjacent large trees,
	some of which have fallen over in storms and caused damage.
Public open space areas	
Gardiner Reserve and	This is the primary open space area for the townsite and receives
Burekup Oval	the highest useage, including for active and informal sports and recreation, social and cultural uses including community events, and occasional informal use by emergency services such as for fire hose training. It is located in the heart of the town's Civic Precinct on the corner of Gardiner Street and Russell Road and includes the Burekup Oval, used by both the local primary school and broader community, and Gardiner Reserve to the south of the oval. The character of this open space precinct overall is predominenatly turfed open space with some fringing established trees around the oval but with very little landscape definition including vegetation or other shade provision within Gardiner Reserve itself. The skate park is the primary formal recreational facility in Gardiner reserve, nearby which is located a drinking water fountain, picnic shelter and public BBQ. Adjacent this is a playground, which is fenced and used by members of the local Country Club, adjacent to an enclosed outdoor licensed area also utilised by the Country Club. The Cricket Club has erected a shed behind the Country Club, near the cricket nets, for storage and other club related purposes. Colourful public art bird murals adorn the utilities cabinet on the corner of Gardiner Street and Russell Road as well as the public
	toilet block located at the north eastern corner of the Country
	Club building.
Shier Reserve	This is a linear reserve characterised by a central creek and wetland system with several seasonal 'ponds.' Stands of tall trees provide the northern section of the creek with a scenic native bushland feel, with opportunities for nature connection in an area predominantly used for recreation by walkers and for environmental purposes including habitat rehabilitation and stormwater management. A pathway provides transit and recreational opportunities, with a small footbridge connecting Shier Rise with Kingia Close. This provides a means for the community south and east of the creek to use the pathway network to travel to the main civic precinct including the school and General Store, rather than to travel along the outer perimeter roads (Shenton/Crampton/Hutchinson) which do not currently have paths provided. There are little seating

Facility	Comments:
	opportunities within Shier Reserve and minimal shade along the
	footpath through the reserve.
McCaughan Park	This small park is located across the road from the Burekup
	General Store within the broader railway reserve. The Shire has
	permission from the Railways Authorities to lease a portion of
	the Railway Reserve for community use. This Park is
	characterised by a dense canopy of mature trees, predominantly
	native species, providing ample shade for people to sit and
	socialise as well as walking through the reserve. A collection of
	garden beds is scattered along the reserve close to Russell Road
	including a memorial rose garden. A rock and bench feature
	plaques with heritage information.  The broader railway reserve in which McCaughan Bark is legated.
	The broader railway reserve in which McCaughan Park is located is not Shire of Dardanup public open space however people do
	use the linear reserve informally for walking and other informal
	recreational activities. The CWA Hall is located immediately
	adjacent the formal edge of McCaughan Park on the railway
	reserve; the building is owned and maintained by the CWA.
	There is an existing informal BMX track within the railway
	reserve, just northeast of the CWA Hall, which has been
	constructed by young community members to meet their
	recreational needs.
Sykes Reserve	This is a small cultivated public open space located on the corner
	of Gardiner Street and Sykes Avenue. It was created as part of
	the new Burekup Estate development and acts as a local water
	detention basin within the townsite. This reserve has a slightly
	manicured look and feel, featuring reticulated turf and
	landscaping.
Clarke Street Road	This is a narrow strip of land located between the constructed
Reserve	section of Clarke Street and Crampton Road. It has been
	designated as a future through road from Clarke Street to
	Crampton Road, however as this is dependent on the future development of land zoned urban deferred, the establishment
	of a road in this corridor may not happen for some time. It is
	characterised by native vegetation including several mature
	Eucalyptus trees and a rural landscape character, offering
	scenic water and paddock views within the fabric of the
	Burekup townsite. There is potential for this to be established
	as a linear pedestrian link from Clarke Street to Crampton
	Road.
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#### Heritage significance of the study area

Little is known to be documented about the indigenous heritage of the Burekup townsite, though as with much of the South West of WA it was part of the Nyungar nation which was the ancestral home to the local Nyungar (or Noongar) people for many thousands of years.

The report 'Nyungar Values of the Collie River' was prepared by consultants Beckwith Environmental Planning for DWER in March 2009 and provides some relevant information on

the value of the river to the local Nyungar people. This includes information on their connection to the Collie River as reflected in their mythological and spiritual beliefs and on its role as a source of food and water, as well as for recreation. The entire Collie River is listed as an Aboriginal Site on the WA Register of Aboriginal Sites, maintained by the WA Department of Indigenous Affairs.

Following is an excerpt from the DWER report from 2009, providing some information relevant to the immediate Burekup area:

'The Gravel Pit was a permanent camp established in the Burekup area. The camp was home to 50-60 people during the 1950s and 1960s, many of whom worked on local farms "doing the work that made the area" (e.g. planting potatoes, erecting fencing). The camp was located along a small tributary of the Collie River that provided "water and a bathroom" for the camp. The residents caught fish and marron and swam in the Collie River. "They caught just enough to eat and no more" to ensure the next fishing trip would be fruitful and "... out of respect for the river"...

In the 1950s, Charles and Rachel Hill (nee Abraham) established a permanent camp east of the Burekup town site at a location commonly known as the Gravel Pit. Bordered on one side by a small tributary of the Collie River, residents lived in small tin houses and relied on the creek for water. By the mid-1970s, all of the Gravel Pit residents had moved, most into newly built government housing. Today, the Gravel Pit is part of a private property owned by a local farmer. Several of the study participants grew-up at the Gravel Pit and are descendants of Charles and Rachel Hill.'

The DWER report lists the location of the Gravel Pit as being on Shenton Road outside of the townsite and that the site is currently a fenced paddock. The coordinates of the Gravel pit are given within the report as S 33° 19.191′, E 115° 49.608′ +/- 15.

One Noongar family who lived in the area was that of Charles and Rachel Hill, a family who went from being landowners to being displaced as a result of colonisation. A book which was launched in 2018, 'The Gravel Pit – our stories' documents the Hill family's stories of survival and struggle as they travelled from Pingelly to Burekup-Bunbury during the 1950's in their quest for a better life. Charles and Rachel Hill's direct descendants, including the Bennell family, still live in the South West and in the book they share their experiences of growing up living in camps including the area known as the Gravel Pit.

With respect to its European heritage, Burekup was originally a railway siding on the Pinjarra-Picton line that was established in 1910 and known at the time as Boorekup. The spelling on the name changed the same year to conform with Lands and Surveys rules of Orthography. *Burekup* is reportedly the Indigenous Australian name for a wildflower that grows in the area.

It was initially developed as a timber town in the early part of the 20th Century and later attracted farmers to the area, who raised livestock and produced crops including potatoes and citrus fruits. Following a request from the Shire of Dardanup, the town was gazetted in 1973. It has since attracted more residents and the town grew to services the surrounding rural community. More recently, Burekup has begun to attract more 'lifestyle' residents who commute to nearby employment centres.

Burekup's small townsite fronts the Perth to Bunbury railway and South West Highway. It is less than 1km from the Collie River and together with the nearby settlement of Roelands,

located on the northern side of the river, comprises the community known to locals as the 'River Valley.'

The Burekup Hall on the main street was built in 1914 and is now home to the Burekup District Country Club. The Burekup General Store, on the main street of town, was also constructed in 1914.

The St John the Divine Anglican Church is located on the corner of Hutchinson and Russell Roads. It was consecrated on April 24th 1938 by Bishop Knight.

The River Valley Primary School is the only school within the study area. It hosts an ANZAC war memorial as well as a mural depicting local logging and wood milling activities from days gone by, along with farming and transport. The first school opened in Burekup 1913 but was demolished and the new River Valley school opened in 1999.

The South Western Highway crosses the Collie River just adjacent to the Burekup townsite. There is an existing wooden road bridge. Running alongside the Collie River road bridge is a concrete and steel railway bridge which was constructed in 1929.

(Source: Report 'Nyungar Values of the Collie River' by consultants Beckwith Environmental Planning for DWER in March 2009; Shire of Dardanup website, various websites.)

#### 3.6.2 Community Consultation Methodology and Results

The table represents a snapshot of the consultation method used for each of the key stakeholders identified for the project.

Stakeholder name	Power & interest	Key interests & issues
Burekup residents	Live within defined study area	Direct regular users of the town site
Surveys, workshops and		and its facilities.
community meeting		
opportunity		
Burekup rural fringe area	Live within locality of Burekup,	Direct regular users of the town site
residents	outside study area	and its facilities.
Surveys, workshops and		
community meeting		
opportunity		
Roelands community	Live in adjacent Shire but use	All postal services; closest store and
By correspondence	Burekup townsite services and	State primary school located in
	facilities	Burekup, combined local playgroup
Burekup Townscape	Representing Burekup	Advise and assist the Shire in
Committee	residents and key community	planning for Burekup townscape
	groups	initiatives.
Burekup Country Club	Non-profit community social	Social activities, venue and court
By interview	hub	hire for private functions and
		recreational / sporting groups
River Valley Primary	State Primary School	Primary education for Burekup and
School		Roelands area catchment
By interview		

Stakeholder name	Power & interest	Key interests & issues	
Burekup Volunteer	Volunteer emergency services	Coordinating and delivering	
Bushfire Brigade	group	response to fire incidents locally	
By interview		and assisting further afield	
Burekup Cricket Club	Sporting group	Cricket facilities, Country Club	
By interview		, ,	
Burekup Tennis Club	Sporting group	Tennis facilities, Country Club	
By interview		(Note: no interview took place as	
		the tennis club was not active at	
		the time of the interviews)	
Burekup Country	Non-profit community group,	Community building, fundraising	
Women's Association	building located on railways	for local school and other causes	
By interview	land		
River Valley Playgroup	Non-profit community group,	Play based activities for children	
By interview	based at primary school	aged 0-5	
Burekup Anglican Church	Religious organisation	Only church in Burekup; Sunday	
By interview	Trengious organisation	worship and other activities	
Indigenous Community	Live within defined study area	Direct regular users of the town site	
By correspondence	or have a cultural connection	and its facilities with desire to	
by correspondence	to the land within the defined	protect and promote respect for	
	study area.	indigenous culture	
Burekup General Store &	Only retail store in Burekup,	Commercial enterprise; Postal	
Post Office	including liquor licensing	services for Burekup and Roelands;	
By interview	(NB: town defibrillator located	Information hub (community notice	
-	here)	board)	
School Bus Services	Main bus stop on Russell Road	Morning pickup and afternoon drop	
By correspondence	for rural bus services.	off of students from many	
		surrounding primary and high	
		schools.	
Local Heritage Groups	Social and cultural interest	Protection of historical and cultural	
	group	heritage	
		(Note: no local heritage groups were	
		found to be active in Burekup)	
Ferguson Valley	Promotion of tourism in the	Opportunities for promotion of	
Marketing Inc	Shire.	tourism in the Shire within the	
By correspondence		town.	
ARC Infrastructure /	Managers of the rail	Lessor of railway land (including Mc	
Aurizon	infrastructure and lessors of	Caughan park) and rail corridor	
By correspondence	railway land used for	north to the river. The Shire is the	
	community purposes.	lessee.	
Department of Regional	Managers on behalf of the	Public liability issues, Vesting and	
Development and Lands	Crown for some of the land	management orders for the	
By correspondence		ongoing management of the land.	
		Transfer of land tenure to the Shire,	
		particularly for road reserves,	
		drainage reserves and public open	
		space.	
South West Development	Government agency to	Funding opportunities	
Commission	promote development in the	Economic advice	
By correspondence	South West Region		

Stakeholder name	Power & interest	Key interests & issues	
Department of Land,	Authority for land use and	Any statutory changes in land use.	
Heritage and Planning	tenure matters	Land management including	
(DLHP)		management orders	
By correspondence			
Main Roads WA	Manage the highway and	Access onto the highway	
By correspondence	access onto it. Also	Any local road changes that involve	
	responsible authority for	changes to regulatory signs and devices.	
	regulatory signs, markings and devices on local roads.	devices.	
Department of	Regulatory authority	Administering the Environmental	
Environment Regulation	administering the	Protection Act;	
(DER)	Environmental Protection Act	Protection of native vegetation,	
By correspondence	to the project	flora and fauna.	
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Department of Water	Regulatory authority for the	Protecting the water courses,	
By correspondence	protection and management	including the Collie River and Henty	
	of water resources and water	Brook;	
	courses.	Stormwater management, flood	
		control and stormwater discharge	
		quality.	
Water	Water authority responsible	Provision of trunk infrastructure for	
Corporation/Aqwest	for reticulate scheme water	water and sewer in the	
By correspondence	and sewer.	development area.	
Western Power (WP)	Owners of the power poles	Provision of trunk infrastructure for	
By correspondence	and lines which are in the	the electricity network.	
Disabilities Services	vicinity of the project.  Advancing opportunities,	Partners and collaborates with	
Commission	community participation and	stakeholders to improve	
By correspondence	quality of life for people with	participation, inclusion and access	
by correspondence	disability	for people with disability across the	
	alsa2t,	community.	
Telstra/Optus	Telecommunications provider	Any impacts on	
By correspondence	·	telecommunications infrastructure.	
Department of Education	Education Provider	Primary education for Burekup and	
By correspondence		Roelands area catchment	
Other Government			
Departments as identified			

The following community consultation strategy was undertaken with consultations including:-

#### 1. Community Survey

The community survey was prepared and distributed to Burekup residents via a variety of media including direct mail outs, emails, the Shire's website and social media (e.g. Facebook) and local newspapers. Sixty nine (69) responses were received representing 4.47% of the Burekup and Districts population and 8.6% of the suburb of Burekup population. The community survey and the detailed results of the survey were attached as appendices to the

draft Plan Report presented to Council at its meeting held on 25 March 2020. The following is a snapshot of the responses:-

- 95.65% respondents live in the Burekup;
- The range of length of time living in Burekup was from 3 months to 70 years;
- 79.71% of respondents were aged between 25-64 years;
- > 59.42% of respondents were a couple household with children;
- The major recreation and sporting activities of respondents were walking (79.37%), cycling (39.68%), tennis (28.57%), group fitness (31.81%), gardening (38.10%), Arts & Crafts (30.16%), BMX Riding (26.98%), Skateboarding (22.22%);
- The most used facilities by participants were the local store (90.91%), the Post Office (95.45%), Footpaths (80.3%), Burekup Oval (63.64%), Skate Park (53.03%), Burekup Country Club (57.58%) a wide range of comments were received regarding the facilities in this section and are attached in the appendices.
- A number of facilities that respondents think are needed in Burekup, and why, were provided and are attached in the appendices.
- The majority of respondents indicated that the facilities were in good condition except for the skate park. Most respondents were not sure about the Diggers Club, Anglican Church and the Collie River;
- The majority of respondents indicated that the facilities were well utilised with the exception of McCaughan Park, public barbecues, Gardiner Reserve and the Collie River. Most respondents were not sure about the Diggers Club and Anglican Church:
- The majority of respondents indicated that the facilities were in the right location.

  Most respondents were not sure about the Diggers Club and Anglican Church;
- The majority of respondents indicated that the following facilities were underutilised McCaughan Park, Gardiner Reserve, public barbecues, Shier Rise, walk trails, tennis and basketball courts, skate park, Anglican Church and the Collie River. Most respondents were not sure about the Diggers Club and Anglican Church;
- The majority of respondents indicated that most of the facilities needed improvement with the exception of the post office. Most respondents were not sure about the Diggers Club and Anglican Church;
- The majority of respondents indicated that the facilities were accessible. Most respondents were not sure about the Diggers Club;
- The majority of respondents (53.97%) indicated that they would not support a Black Waste Dump Point for Burekup.
- ➤ The majority of respondents (66.67%) supported overnight caravan and camping for Burekup.
- The majority of respondents (89.23%) supported an upgrade of the BMX Track for Burekup.
- The majority of respondents (79.69%) supported an upgrade of the BMX Track for Burekup.

A significant amount of other comments were received from respondents and these have been taken into account in the planning.

#### 2. Key Agency Submissions

Correspondence was sent to the following key agencies to inform of the project and call for submissions with specific questions relating to the services provided by the organisation, future plans for works and expected timeframes, project considerations and any other comments:-

- ➤ Department of Land, Heritage and Planning advised that from a planning point of view, the Plan, once drafted, should be referred to the Commission for comment, should the Plan be regarded as a local planning policy under the provisions Schedule 2, Part 2, Clause 4(b) of the Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015, and inconsistent with any State Planning Policy;
- ➤ Main Roads WA response of no comments relating to the project;
- South West Development Commission no response received;
- Department of Primary Industry and Regional Development; DPIRD does not provide any services to the Burekup township and does not have any current projects identified;
- ARC Infrastructure no response received;
- Agwest advised no comments in relation to the submission;
- > Telstra no response received;
- Department of Water Whereas DWER has no comment on the form of facilities, it should be noted that any proposed future development will need to be mindful of water supply and wastewater disposal (including recycling of water). In addition, any required upgrade of the catchment drainage system will need to be carefully planned and environmental impacts considered;
- School Bus Service no response received;
- Greater Bunbury Aboriginal Community Elders Group no response received.

#### 3. Stakeholder Interviews

Eight key stakeholder interviews with sixteen residents were held in 2019 by project team members with the following groups:

- Burekup Country Club
- River Valley Playgroup
- Burekup General Store
- River Valley Primary School
- Burekup Cricket Club
- Burekup Volunteer Bushfire Brigade
- Burekup CWA
- Burekup Church

The questions asked at the interviews were as follows:-

- What role does your group/organisation play within the community;
- What are your group's/organisation's needs, wishes and priorities within the community;
- Projects your organisation has identified in its future five, ten and fifteen year planning, if any;
- Considerations that can be highlighted within the project pertaining to your organisation; and
- Any other comments.

The summarisation and analysis of the consultation data from the interviews was collated and was used with the survey and submissions to form the basis of the initial public community information workshop.

The outcomes from the Community Survey, Key Agency Submissions and Stakeholder interviews were compiled and ranked in order of popularity, with a vote recorded for each 'mention' for a potential project idea by a consultation participant and the resultant tally of votes ranked, to give an indication of community priority in the early stages of consultation. This was taken to the community for consideration in Workshop 1, in the form of a powerpoint presentation of consultation outcomes to date and printed posters.

#### 4. Community Workshops

Community workshops were held 30 October 2019 (25 participants) and 4 December 2019 (23 participants) and were independently facilitated by Will Bessen of Tuna Blue Facilitation. Each session was highly participative and engaging with opportunities for discussion with the focus on the following outcomes.

#### Workshop 1

- Consider the context for a Community Facilities Plan,
- Reflect on the results of the community survey and stakeholder conversations,
- Review and discuss 'early concepts' for Burekup facilities improvements, as derived from the initial community consultation,
- Suggest facility improvements needed for Burekup and rank these in order of priority,
- Articulate the ideal location and connectedness of possible future facilities, and
- Consider the next steps for the development of the Plan.
- The outcomes from Workshop 1 were consolidated and incorporated into the first draft of the Burekup Community Facilities Plan. This was presented to the community for review and comment in Workshop 2.

#### Workshop 2

- Reflect on the outcomes of Community Workshop One,
- Consider and refine the Draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan developed by the Shire of Dardanup,
- Rank the proposed projects in order of priority,
- Further refine the 'Civic Precinct' schematic layout, and
- Consider the next steps for the finalisation of the Plan.

The outcomes from Workshop 2 were consolidated and a design review of the draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan was undertaken by the Project Team. This was presented to the community for review and comment in Workshop 2.

The reports on the outcomes of the 2019 workshops was attached as an appendix to the draft Plan Report presented to Council at its meeting held on 25 March 2020.

The Final Plan is the result of consideration and refinement following each stage of the Community Consultation.

Projects which are proposed within the plan are shown below in '3.7 – Recommended Community Facilities' and documented in the *Burekup Community Facilities Plan – Community Engagement Overview* which is included at (Appendix ORD: 12.3D).

#### 5. Final community comment period

The draft plan was presented to Council for endorsement to advertise to the community for the purposes of final review and opportunity to comment. It is proposed to advertise this stage of the consultation via the Shire's standard communication mechanisms including a website posts, links to social media, community news or other newspaper promotion, public notices and inclusion in the Shire's community information email. It is proposed to use the online platform 'Social Pinpoint' to present the plan (including proposed projects) together with a listing of possible future projects (not included on current version of Plan), to give the community the opportunity to make direct comment on an online version of the Plan. The outcomes of this consultation will then be compiled and used to help prioritise projects, for a final review of the plan and presentation back to Council for final adoption of the Plan.

#### 3.7 Recommended Community Facilities

All recommendations resulting from the consultation and subsequent Community Facilities Report are:

- Itemised as new, upgrade / improvement to existing, or removal of existing;
- Represented graphically on the Plan;
- Assigned a recommended timeframe, being either short, medium or long term;
- Highlighted (in green) if they have already been included in the Shire's Budget for implementation in the current financial year;
- If not assigned a timeframe, then highlighted in red on the plan and noted as being an improvement requiring the cooperation of an external authority / group';
- Referenced in the Community Facilities Report accompanying the plan;
- Based on an extensive community engagement process to fine tune priorities, based on balancing community wishes and needs with probable feasibility including timing and funding.

It should be noted that all proposed and possible future projects are subject to the relevant approvals and funding. Projects which may be subject to feasibility or the cooperation of an external agency or group have been highlighted as such on the plan.

Some projects have been included on the plan with an indicative location only, as this is still to be determined. For example, a multi-use community / sports facility has been shown on the plan close by the oval, however further investigations including discussions with relevant stakeholders will be required to ensure that should this facility prove to be feasible, it is planned to be of a size and function that meets the needs of the local community into the feature. Feasibility investigations will also determine which might be the most appropriate location for such a facility.

Overnight caravanning including a black waste dump point was opposed through the consultation period by the broader Burekup Community including by the school who are located close to the current overnight caravanning site. Therefore neither a proposed black waste dump nor an overnight RV / caravanning site has been located on the plan.

Below is a listing of projects from the Plan, colour coded to indicate possible implementation timeframes:

	PROPOSED IMMEDIATE IMPROVEMENTS (Year 1)	
1	New town entry statement - indicative location/s shown (2020-21) \$	
2	New shade sails for Community Playground - used by school (2020-21) \$	
3	New path along O'Meara Dr - Shenton Rd to Gardiner St (2020-21) \$	
4	Burekup parking bay, Russell Road - resolve drainage issues (2020-21) Subject to funding	
5	Recreational path loop - Clarke St reserve, Crampton Rd, Shier Reserve Subject to funding	
	PROPOSED SHORT TERM IMPROVEMENTS (Years 2-4)	
6	Skate park - provision of additional equipment (2023-24) \$ Or put funds towards a new facility	
7	Upgrade path along Russell Road from Clarke St to Shenton Rd (staged, 2023-25 ) \$	
8	New tree planting in streetscape and open space areas - indicative locations only	
9	Community Activity Zone - skate park, pump track and landscaping #	
10	Shier Reserve improvements - general, including seating and fitness trail	
11	Improve Northern town entrance - including traffic safety #	
12	Improved bin facilities - including near skate park	
13	Upgrade public toilets #	
14	Oval surface - levelling #	
15	Maintain / improve Memorial Rose Garden in McCaughan Park	
16	Relocate existing informal BMX track, if required by authorities #	
17	Road safety improvements to Gardiner St including Castieau St intersection #	
18	Bollards around oval - with access for parking, maintenance and emergency (subject to design)	
19	Define open active space - e.g. for kick-about, events, overflow parking, emergency use	
20	New visitor information board - indicative location	
21	Improve highway visitor signage #	
22	Improved wayfinding signage	
23	New informal community nature play space - 'Loose parts play'	
24	Formalise car parking in Gardiner Reserve - to include access for continued informal parking	
	and restricted access option for rear of Country Club; level the ground	
25	Community / school playground improvements #	

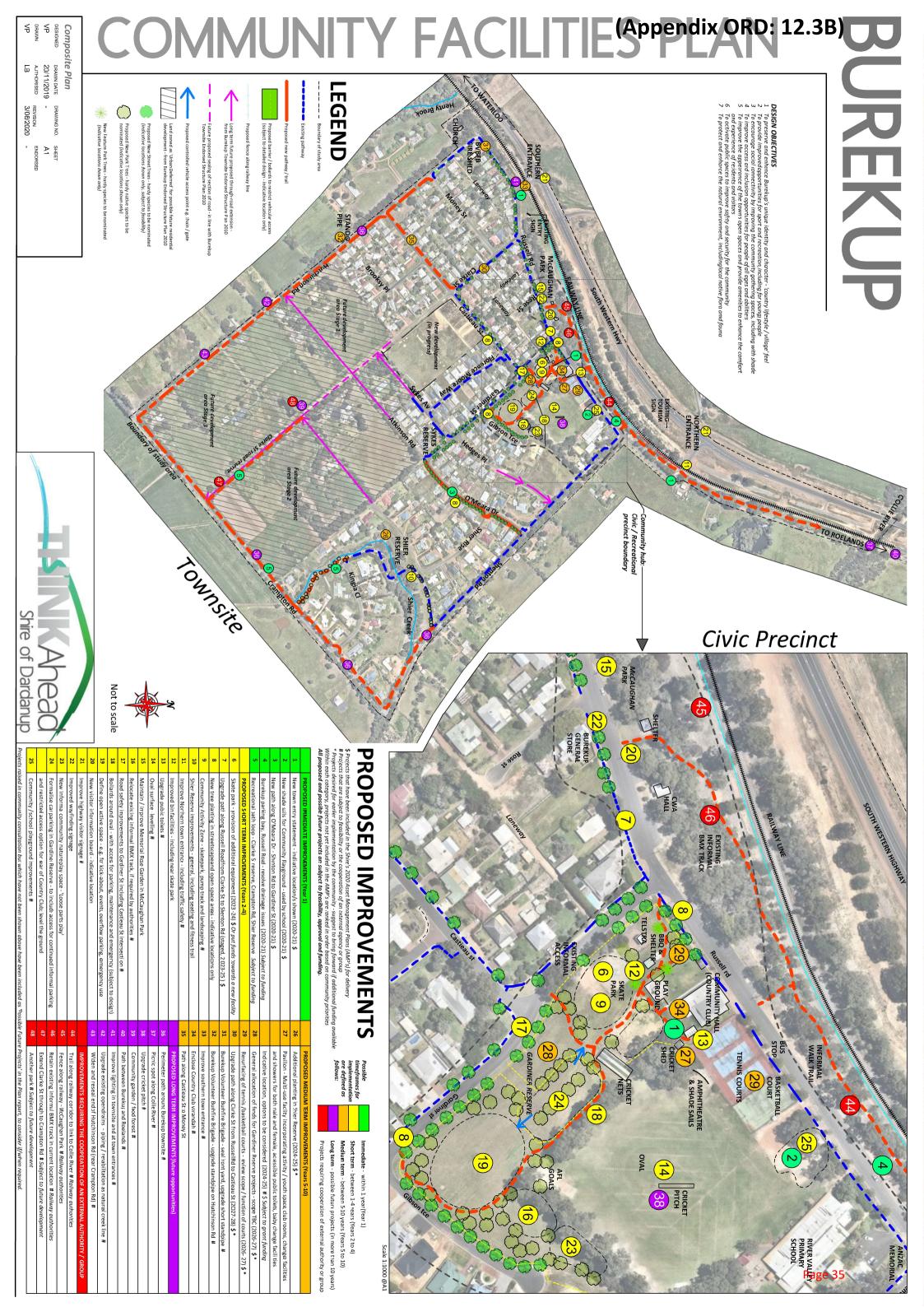
	PROPOSED MEDIUM TERM IMPROVEMENTS (Years 5-10)
26	Additional planting in Shier Reserve (2024-25) \$ *
27	Pavilion - Multi-use facility incorporating activity / youth space, club rooms, change facilities
	and showers <sup>-</sup> or both male and female, accessible public toilets, baby change facilities
	Indicative location, options to be considered (2024-25) # \$ Subject to grant funding
28	General allocation of funds for Gardiner Reserve projects - scope TBC (2026-27) \$ *
29	Resurfacing of tennis / basketball courts - review scope / function of courts (2026-27) \$ *
30	Upgrade path along Clarke St from Russell Rd to Castieau St (2027-28) \$ *
31	Burekup Volunteer Bushfire Brigade - seal front yard, upgrade short standpipe #
32	Burekup Volunteer Bushfire Brigade - upgrade standpipe on Hutchinson Rd #
33	Improve southern town entrance #
34	Enclose Country Club verandah #
35	Path along Castieau St to Money St
	PROPOSED LONG TERM IMPROVEMENTS (future opportunities)
36	Perimeter path around Burekup townsite #
37	Picnic spot along Collie River #
38	Upgrade cricket pitch #
39	Community garden / food forest #
40	Path between Burekup and Roelands #
41	Improve lighting in townsite and at town entrances #
42	Upgrade existing open drains - piping / rehabilitation as natural creek line #
43	Widen and reseal end of Hutchinson Rd (near Crampton Rd) #
	IMPROVEMENTS REQUIRING THE COOPERATION OF AN EXTERNAL AUTHORITY / GROUP
44	Trail along railway corridor to link to Collie River # Railway authorities
45	Fence along railway - McCaughan Park # Railway authorities
46	Retain existirg informal BMX track in current location # Railway authorities
47	Extend Clarke St through to Crampton Rd # Subject to future development
48	Another park # Subject to future development

#### 3.8 Costing of Community Facilities

Detailed costing of all recommendations does not form part of this Scope of Work. However, all recommendations in the final Plan for projects to implement must be based upon sound financial practices and considered in view of limited Shire resources.

#### 3.9 Funding Opportunities

Possible funding sources for each recommendation will be identified as a part of determining the project feasibility prior to the Shire committing to undertake the project. Some possible major sources of funding might include Royalties for Regions and Lotterywest; there will be other opportunities that the Shire will be able to investigate when required.



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OVERALL RISK EVENT: RISK THEME PROFILE:		Burekup Facilities Community Plan	unity Plan – A	– Adopt Plan				
6 - Engagement Practices								
RISK ASSESSMENT CONTEXT:	r context: Project							
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CATEGORY	RISK EVENT	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕЦНООБ	INHERENT RISK RATING	(Treatment or controls proposed)	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕЦНООБ	RESIDUAL RISK RATING
НЕАГТН	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
FINANCIAL	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
REPUTATIONAL	Negative perception of the Shire if projects are not programmed to meet Community needs	Minor (2)	Almost Certain (5)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Adopt Plan	Minor (2)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.

#### **Burekup Community Facilities Plan – Community Engagement Overview**

This overview details the community engagement and consultation process which spanned from early 2019 until mid 2020. Detailed outcomes from the 2019 consultations were included as appendices to the Council report dated 25 March 2020 and have not been included in this report. Only the summary details and analysis of outcomes has been included in this overview.

- 1. 2020 most recent outcomes;
- 2. 2019 only the summary report from Workshop 2 has been included, for context.

### **Community engagement in 2020**

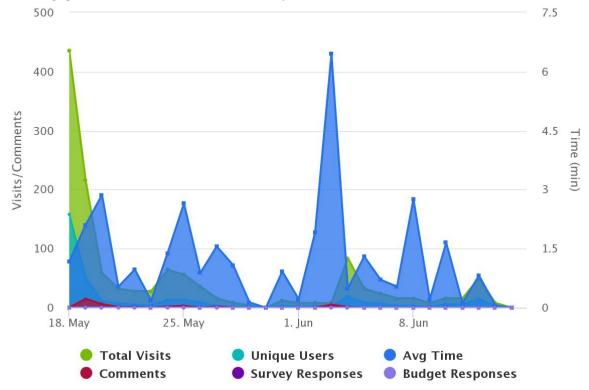
At its meeting held on 25 March 2020, Council endorsed [OCM:43-20] the public advertising of the draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan for the purposes of seeking community comment. The plan was made available both online and in hard copy format and advertised on the Shire's website, through its social media channel, by direct email to those who had taken part in consultations to date and provided their contact details, and through public notices displayed together with a copy of the plan at the Burekup General Store and a copy also delivered to the local primary school.

The draft plan was advertised for a four week period from Monday 18 May 2020 to 14 June 2020. The community, particularly those in Burekup, were encouraged to view the map and make comment on the priority projects identified. The interactive map was made available through the Shire's online engagement tool 'Connect' via the Social Pinpoint online platform, as well as PDF copies of the draft plan being made available online and in person at the Shire of Dardanup Eaton Office and on the Community Noticeboard located outside the Burekup General Store. The engagement was advertised through Facebook, on the Shire's website, via a public notice in the newspaper and at the Burekup General Store, and direct email to those who have previously contributed to the Burekup Community Facilities Plan consultation.

#### 'Connect' Community Engagement

The 'Connect' Map for the draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan showed existing community facilities and the proposed short, medium and long term project priorities in the plan. It was an interactive map where people could click on project markers to see more information, 'like', 'dislike' or leave a comment on a specific project. Alternatively, they could select a marker category at the top of the screen, drag and drop the marker to an area or interest or project on the map, and leave a comment.

Over the consultation period there were 1289 total visits by 354 unique users. The graph below shows engagement levels over the consultation period.



36 comments were received by 14 unique stakeholders. Additionally, 190 'likes' and 30 'dislikes' were recorded as per the table below. Column 4 shows the 'ranking' by community vote for preferred projects, from Workshop 2 held in December 2019. Outcomes from Workshop 2 were a refinement of outcomes from Workshop 1, allowing the community to nominate their preferred priorities for key projects.

Project / Improvement	Connect Likes 2020	Connect Dislikes 2020	Priority projects in Workshop 2 - Dec 2019
Note: S# = Short term project & priority No.; M# =			
Medium term project & priority no.			
Additional planting in Shier Rise Reserve	11	0	
New tree planting in streetscape and open space areas	10	3	M3
Trail along railway corridor to link to Collie River	10	0	M5
Skate park - provision of additional equipment	8	2	
Community Activity Zone - new skate park & pump track	7	1	M2, M7*
Resolve drainage outside school	7	0	S2
Shier Rise Reserve improvements - general, including			S5
seating and fitness trail	7	0	
Improve bin facilities - including near skate park	7	1	S11
Improve Northern town entrance - including traffic safety	7	0	
Recreation path loop (Shier Rise Reserve, Crampton Rd,			M1
Shenton Rd)	7	0	
Volunteer Bushfire Brigade (improved front exterior			
facilities)	7	0	

Project / Improvement	Connect Likes 2020	Connect Dislikes 2020	Priority projects in Workshop 2 - Dec 2019
Upgrade path along Russell Road from Clarke St to			
Shenton Road	6	1	
Upgrade public toilets	6	0	S1
Oval surface - levelling	6	0	
New town entry statement	5	0	
New shade sails for Community Playground - used by school	5	0	
Retain Memorial Rose Garden in McCaughan Park	5	0	
New clubrooms / multi-purpose community facility	4	0	
New path from Russell Road to public toilets	4	0	
Relocate existing BMX track, if required by authorities	4	0	S4
Bollards around oval - with access for parking, maintenance and emergency	4	0	S10
Road safety improvement to Gardiner St including	4	U	
Castieau St intersection	4	0	
Improve southern town entrance	4	0	M6
Perimeter path around Burekup townsite	4	1	
New path along O'Meara Dr - Shenton Road to Gardiner			M9
St	3	1	
Upgrade path along Clarke St from Russell Rd to Castieau			
St	3	2	
New visitor information board	3	1	S7
Improve highway visitor signage	3	2	S8
Improved wayfinding signage	3	1	S12
Retain open active space	3	0	
Fence along railway - McCaughan Park	3	4	S9
Retain existing BMX track in current location	3	1	
Resurfacing of tennis / basketball courts	2	0	
New informal community nature play space - 'Loose parts			S6
play'	2	0	
Formalise car parking in Gardiner Reserve.	2	1	
Enclose Country Club verandah	2	2	M4
Path along Castieau St to Money St	2	2	M8
Picnic spot along Collie River	2	0	
Community garden / food forest	2	0	
Upgrade cricket pitch	2	0	
Path between Burekup and Roelands	1	0	
Improve lighting in townsite and at town entrances	1	1	
Upgrade existing open drains	1	1	
Extend Clarke St through to Crampton Road	1	1	
Another park	1	0	
Community / school playground improvements	0	0	S3
Widen and reseal end of Hutchinson Rd (near Crampton			
Rd)	0	1	

	Connect	Connect	Priority projects in
	Likes	Dislikes	Workshop 2 - Dec
Project / Improvement	2020	2020	2019
TOTALS	190	30	

### Notes:

\*M7 (landscaping near skate park) consolidated into Community Activity Zone M10 in Workshop 2 'Beach volleyball court' not included in draft plan for 'Connect' following community feedback in Workshop 2

The comments received through the Social Pinpoint 'Connect' engagement were as follows:

Project proposal	Community comment				
New town entry statement	The current statement is bland and hard to distinguish				
Resurfacing of tennis / basketball courts	It's not just the surface of the tennis, it's the underlying ground and the overall preparation of it. Don't just lay over the top, do it properly this time				
Resolve drainage outside school	Each year we are told the same storyit's on the planning list. Let's hope it's on the top of your list as I'm sure bigger schools in your Shire would not put up with this issue time and time again.				
	I've been in Burekup for 8 years and the drainage on the road across the school has always been an issue and in winter we can even use that side of road to pick up kids from school. Even a small shower you will find water on road for days (Shire officer note: respondent may have meant to write 'can't')				
Relocate existing BMX track, if	If the BMX track is to be moved, I strongly suggest getting all the kids who built it to have input into the design and the option to help build the new one				
required by authorities	Unfortunately the BMX track has been constructed on PTA land without approval. The risk of injury, which already has occurred is the issue. A safer better designed area would be preferable.				
	Space 15 is a perfect spot for a community garden. I fail to see how the BMX jumps would need to be moved my law kids are being kids, it's the appeal and sanity of living in Burekup.				
Improve highway visitor signage	Improve visibility looking west horrible intersection to pull out and turn right. Possibly move intersection and the improve (sic) intersection street appeal and signage.				
	A better idea would be to reduce the speed limit to 90 and make it safer for turning in and out				
Bollards around oval - with access for parking, maintenance and emergency	Make it what it needs to be a picket fence it is a cricket oval after all, and we are a village of sorts, take a leaf out of the poms book and make something special!				
Road safety improvement to	I agree with the other comments made on this point.				
Gardiner St including Castieau St intersection	Could there be a roundabout installed at this intersection, with an extra feed off to the proposed #24 parking lot?  Like them or loathe them, roundabouts have been proven to reduce risks on 'trouble' intersections.				

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	This needs to be looked at both to the left and right when sitting on Castieau
	and wanting to turn onto Gardiner. To the right the visibility is zero and to the
	left the angle of the turn means you end up on the wrong side of the road.
	The intersection needs to be completely redesigned
	Without sounding like an old man this intersection is awful combined with
	the speed that people drive on Gardiner st it is only a matter of time:(
Formalise car	I feel a parking facility closer to the rear of the Country Club would be more
parking in Gardiner	beneficial (potentially in the purple ringed section just below the #2 proposal).
Reserve.	Common sense this one. The grass will never grow with cricket and country
Neserve.	club patrons parking on it. And in turn the cricket facilities are deteriorating
Oal aufa a a	along with our equipment due to the sand everywhere
Oval surface -	Obviously a high priority for the Cricket Club this one and something we have
leveling	tried to manage 'in-house' over several years albeit without much success.
	This oval is very unique to the cricket lovers of the southwest. It has plenty of
	character but has been let down by the surface of the ground. Drainage works
	well but having concrete lids on the playing surface with rubber mats on top
	are a safety risk and also embarrassing when a visiting sports team comes to
	play. The oval isn't level and has had the cricket club on several occasions
	bring sand in to try level. So it would be nice if the Shire would find a bit of
	interest in this matter. Thanks
	This could be a jewel in the Shire if not the region. A purpose built cricket
	facility, with a turf wicket and picket fence. There is a raft of local talent that
	would love to be part of a cricket club that provided a pathway to further
	opportunities, and as member of the club, I know there are other members
	that would love to see kids have a place to belong. For their social and mental
	wellbeing. This must become a priority. Along with changeroom for female
	players which is a boom sector.
Improve Northern	If there is any talk of removing the statute of Fergus from the Forrest
town entrance -	Highway, this would be a good site - the Northern entrance to the Ferguson
including traffic	Valley.
safety	
Retain open active	The open space needs to be weed managed, it's unusable in summer as it's
space	dead and it's all broadleaf in winter. Some paths and bbq facilities would be
	great, and would take small children on bikes away from the race track that
	Gardiner st is turning into
Recreation path	And please consider speed limit signage on Crampton Road especially with the
loop (Shier Rise	walkway encouraging more activity on the road. This road is seen as open
Reserve, Crampton	road with people forgetting there are driveways and intersections off it and so
Rd, Shenton Rd)	many walkers and families on bicycles. I'm sure this won't be costly so could
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Now trop alonting	be done in the early stages of development.
New tree planting	Australian Natives would be lovely or at least trees that doesn't drop its leaves
in streetscape and	Yes please, since they cleared the paddock for the new development the place
open space areas	feels very bare. Could we have native trees?
	Current tree are too low, not properly maintained (by the council or residents)
	and when in flower pose a significant risk of bee sting. Do not want a tree in
	our yard.
	I quite like my tree as it is but not opposed to an upgrade, Bear in mind
	most neighbours ripped there's out on our street
Multi-use facility	Having made the below point - I feel the location is incorrect. It would shorten
(Burekup Oval	the boundary considerably.
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	The Burekup Cricket Club suggestion would be to redesign something that

project information	suits and fits into the current, underutilised amphitheatre and shade-sail
sheet)	location.
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	I am thankful that the requests and desires of the Burekup Cricket Club have
	been taken into consideration in the facilities plan.
	Burekup cricket is growing with junior & senior teams and increasing interest
	in the Woolworths Blast programs.
	It would be great to finally getting a chance to have a 'true cricket home', and
	as Burekup is in the heart of the "Wellington Region" the potential is there for
	it to become the Home of the Wellington District Cricket Association too.
	While I understand the need for shower and change facilities, as discussed at
	Community meetings, I am at a loss with this proposed facility. There is no
	additional information provided that outlines the need and operation of the
	proposed bar, kitchen and function areas.
Path along Castieau	Fantastic idea, I won't have to walk my doggo on the road.
St to Money St	
Improve lighting in	Reduce light pollution.
townsite and at	
town entrances	
Community garden	Why so far out? Next to the school would be ideal - or the block next to the
/ food forest	shop
Upgrade cricket	As mentioned in my previous suggestion (25) this needs to be a priority. The
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#### Written submissions

Three written submissions were received from stakeholder groups and agencies:

- 1. Nathan King, President, Burekup Cricket Club Burekup Cricket Club Venue Improvements
- 2. Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage
- 3. Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (time extension to respond granted)

## Comments received through written submissions

1. Burekup Cricket Club – Community stakeholder group (sporting) – presented a proposal for a new sporting pavilion, with details as follows.

BUREKUP CRICKET CLUB - VENUE IMPROVEMENTS

May 2020

#### **OVERVIEW**

## 1. Project Background and Description

The Burekup Cricket Club would like to submit this proposal for improvements to the venue known as the Burekup Cricket Club Oval, a shared oval with River Valley Primary School and known to the Shire of Dardanup as Sikes Avenue Reserve. Burekup fails to tick any of the boxes under the Cricket Australia Facility guidelines for cricket grounds. Players, both senior and junior, male and female, as well as Junior and Master Blaster Program competitors, and officials, have nowhere to get changed into, and out of, playing attire, other than under the surrounding trees. Parents and supporters are subjected to the elements also.

For many years the Burekup Cricket Club has utilised the Burekup Country Club as the venue for windups, mid-season gatherings, AGM's and general meetings and other club functions, as well as post game entertaining for both home and away teams. Although the venue is good, there is nowhere for cricket regalia and memorabilia, premiership flags and award honour boards to be displayed.

The Burekup Cricket Club prides itself on being one of the more successful cricket clubs in the Bunbury and Districts Cricket Association having won 6 premiership titles in the 14years it has been involved in the BDCA and represented in all but 1 finals campaign's over those years. The Burekup Cricket Club is also the unofficial hub of the Wellington Cricket Association, being in the heart of the Wellington catchments of Harvey, Leschenault, Eaton, Dardanup, Collie and of course Burekup itself. We have welcomed travelling metro teams to our club for Representative games and have offered the Burekup Country Club up as accommodation but have had to explain to them that we did not have means to shower them and that the nearest showering option for them was at the Brunswick Caravan Park.

In addition to the above Cricket Club background, there also seems to be a lack of 'entertainment' options for the youth of the town, and it would be hoped the Burekup Cricket Club could drive to change this, by offering up and sharing the building space as a youth centre; a place for the youth to hang out, watch tv, listen to music, study or just hang with other locals and friends.

The location of the proposal may also lend itself to be utilised by the Burekup Tennis Club, should they have an intake of members (the thought is that there is currently very little membership interest for the Tennis Club, but the Cricket Club is more than happy to entertain the idea of sharing the tenancy with them should they need it). The proposal boasts a viewing platform for the western-most tennis court also.

#### 2. Project Scope

Great appreciation must be forwarded to the planning committee of the Dardanup Shire in their works to date on the Burekup Community Facilities Plan, of which the Burekup Cricket Club was included and had a proposal put for forward for new club rooms. However, the location of this proposal would not be conducive to the cricket ground as the building would restrict the length of the boundary. The northern boundary is already restricted to  $\sim 58$ m from the centre of the pitch; 2m shorter than the recommended minimum boundary length in the Bunbury & Districts Cricket Association. An alternate

proposed location has been drawn up by the members of the Burekup Cricket Club and is attached for discussion.

The scope for the Burekup Cricket Club clubrooms proposal would be confined to the building itself and immediate surroundings, with any further upgrade plans, car parks and pathways etc, falling back to the Burekup Community Facilities Plan.



Burekup Cricket Club high level proposal in relation to the Burekup Community Facilities Plan 2020.



Proposal floor plan (option 1.0)



Proposal Option 1 in 3D (perspective from the oval)



Proposal Floor Plan Option 2. Squarer design set further back from oval boundary.

## Proposal Option 2 in 3D



### 3. Requirements

The new building must take into consideration both male and female patrons as well as youth. It would be desirable to have the following inclusions in the building at a minimum:

- Earthworks to have the building elevated from oval ground level (akin to the height of existing Amphitheatre area)
- Removal of multiple trees adjacent to existing nets and Amphitheatre area
- Fully functioning kitchen and bar facilities
- Change rooms for both home team and away teams
- Hot and cold water for change room showers
- Ablution blocks in both change rooms and main function building
- Utility room for storage of cricket equipment (may also double as umpire changeroom? TBC)
- Function room with included storage room for tables/chairs etc
- Undercover outdoor area overlooking the playing oval
- Easy access between building and existing nets infrastructure to allow mowers, emergency vehicles etc to pass
- Telecom connection for wifi connectivity and security etc
- Security (for the bar at a minimum)

### 4. Deliverables

## Consultation with;

- Department of Sport and Recreation financial backing
- Dardanup Shire financial backing, time and resource planning
- Cricket Australia facilities Grass-Roots grants
- Burekup Cricket Club financial backing, in-kind donations of time and labour resources where possible
- Burekup Community Facilities Plan committee
- Burekup Tennis Club
- Any number of Youth agencies (YMCA etc)
- Fitness and yoga groups
- Mind Wellfullness groups

#### 5. Affected Parties

• Burekup Country Club – potential lost revenue with Burekup Cricket Club having the ability to hold their own mid-season and end-of-season functions and if the Function Room was hired out for external events etc.

### 6. Affected Business Processes or Systems

Telecommunications hardware and software; including any wifi connections

Security support

#### 7. Implementation Plan

The initial location of the proposed clubrooms (as per Burekup Community Facilities Plan 2020 medium term project) was not seen to be conducive to the cricket oval boundary dimensions, being that the northern boundary would decrease from 58m to just over 40m. 60m is the minimum boundary length under the B&DCA Local Laws.

An alternative location was sought and with a lack of public use, the Amphitheatre and shade sailed area, was chosen due to its already close proximity to existing connections (water, electricity, sewer etc) which was seen as beneficial.

## 8. High-Level Timeline/Schedule

Although the Burekup Cricket Club would love to see this project undertaken as soon as possible, we understand the complexities involved in large, multi-funded, facility plans. We also understand that priorities change with office bearers, so would like to get the ball rolling at the earliest opportunity.

Plan: to be in conjunction with the Dardanup Shire's Burekup Community Facilities Plan timeline

Design: initial scope design to be completed by end of CY20. Final design completed by end of Q2 CY21

Develop: Builder/developer tender process completed by end of CY21

Deploy: First soil turned Q2 CY22

The Burekup Cricket Club is more than eager to assist The Dardanup Shire in any way, shape or form, to ensure this project is given every opportunity to come to fruition.

#### APPROVAL AND AUTHORITY TO PROCEED

We approve the project as described above, and authorize the team to proceed.

Name	Title	Date

Approved By Date Approved By Date

Proposal developed by

#### **Nathan King**

President

Burekup Cricket Club

M: 0419 966 745



## 2. Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage (DPLH)

Your ref: PST-R0652628 Our ref: PLH2019P0205

Doc ref: Enquiries: Ben Muller

Chief Executive Officer Shire of Dardanup PO Box 7016 EATON WA 6232 Dear Andre Schonfeldt

#### PROPOSED BUREKUP COMMUNITY FACILITIES PLAN

I refer to your letter PST-R0652628 dated 21 August 2019 requesting the Department of Planning, Land and Heritage (the Department) to provide input on the above proposal.

The Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage is responsible for planning and managing land and heritage. It undertakes key activities relating to land use planning, the land supply chain, land administration and asset management and Aboriginal lands and heritage.

The Department does not provide services as envisage in the proposed Burekup Community Facilities Plan (the Plan) but from a planning point of view, the Plan, once drafted, should be referred to the Commission for comment, should the Plan be regarded as a local planning policy under the provisions Schedule 2, Part 2, Clause 4(b) of the Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015, and inconsistent with any State Planning Policy.

Should you have any further queries please contact Ben Muller on 9791 0577. Yours sincerely

Marion Dandridge Planning Manager Regional South West 12 September 2019 South West Office

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## 3. Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (DWER)

**Important note:** The numbers in DWER's comments below related to the version of the Draft Plan which was advertised for public comment in 2020. These numbers are different to those shown on the final draft plan which is now presented to Council for endorsement as at August 2020. A table at the end of DWER's comments cross-references the superseded project numbers with the new numbers as shown on the plan for each respective project, to assist with correct referrals as projects are identified for investigation and implementation.

Note: DWER requested an extension on 12 June, until 19 June, which was granted.

19<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Our Reference: PA 034157, DWERT50~22

To: Shire of Dardanup

From: Department of Water and Environmental Regulation

Attention: Peta Nolan

### **RE: Draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan**

Dear Peta,

Thank you for providing the draft 'Burekup Community Facilities Plan - proposed projects' (as attached for your convenience) for the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (Department) to consider.

The Department has identified that some of the proposed projects have the potential for impact on the environment and water resources, with the following key issues being identified against each project:

- Acid sulphate soils: Projects 12, 13, 31, 37, 39 & 40
- Stormwater management: 13, 14, 24, 31 & 39
- Flood: 26, 35, 37
- Water availability: 40
- Native vegetation clearing: 37
- Wastewater (noting location in a sewage sensitive area): 37
- No water or environment issues identified: Projects 1 11, 15 23, 25, 27 30, 32 34, 36, 38, 41, 42 & 44

Further detail is described below against each of the above key issues:

### Acid sulphate soils

Acid sulfate soils (ASS) risk mapping indicates that most of project area is located within an area identified as representing a 'low to moderate' risk of ASS occurring within 3 metres of the natural soil surface (orange shaded area in Screenshot 1), which is relevant to Projects 12, 13, 31, 39 & 40 as ground disturbing works and dewatering are likely to occur, which poses an acidification risk that can impact infrastructure and groundwater quality.

ASS risk mapping shows that the area along the Collie River is located within an area identified as having a 'moderate to high' risk of ASS occurring within 3 metres of the natural soil surface (red shaded area in Screenshot 1), where Project 37 (Picnic spot along Collie River) is proposed and shallow ground disturbing works can pose an acidity risk to the surrounding environment.

These projects should be referred to the department for comment if during construction:

- dewatering will occur
- excavation will occur below groundwater
- excavation of more than 100 cubic meters is proposed

## Stormwater management

The proposed developments under Projects 13, 14, 24, 31 & 39 are likely to involve the management of substantial volumes of stormwater, for which there are quality and quantity considerations.

This does not trigger a need for these projects to be referred to the Department for comment, however it is recommended that stormwater is managed in accordance with the:

- Decision process for stormwater management in WA (DWER 2017)
- Interim Position Statement: Constructed Lakes (July 2007)

#### **Flood**

Our GIS shows the area covered by Projects 26, 35, 37 are affected by flooding during major events in the 1 in 100 (1%) annual exceedance probability (AEP) flood event as seen in Screenshot 2. This data can be accessed at the following location:

https://dow.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=9817b8d31c224846abb68a75478e9cf0

These projects should be referred to the department for comment.

#### Water availability

It appears that Project 40 is located at Lot 123, where a 'Community garden / food forest' landuse is proposed (Screenshot 3).

This project will require a water supply, and depending on the source of water that is proposed to be used there may be licencing requirements under the *Rights in Water and Irrigation Act 1914*.

This project should be referred to the department for comment.

#### **Native vegetation clearing**

Under section 51C of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act), clearing of native vegetation is an offence unless undertaken under the authority of a clearing permit, or the clearing is subject to an exemption. Exemptions for clearing that are a requirement of written law, or authorised under certain statutory processes, are contained in Schedule 6 of the EP Act. Exemptions for low impact

routine land management practices outside of environmentally sensitive areas (ESAs) are contained in the *Environmental Protection (Clearing of Native Vegetation) Regulations 2004* (the Clearing Regulations).

In the event any clearing is proposed at the development stage for Project 37, a permit to clear native vegetation should be submitted to the department.

#### Wastewater disposal

Project 37 is located in a Sewage Sensitive Area (Estuary catchments on the Swan and Scott Coastal Plains) and our GIS shows the nearest sewer line located about 720 metres to the south.

Any onsite wastewater management should comply with the *Government Sewerage Policy* (GSP 2019) which includes the requirement to have a 1.5 metre vertical separation to the highest groundwater level and 100 metre separation to the waterway.

These matters can be dealt with by the Shire's Environmental Health Officers.

#### No water or environment issues identified

The department has deemed that a number of projects (Projects 1-11, 15-23, 25, 27-30, 32-34, 36, 38, 41, 42 & 44) to have negligible impact on water resources or the environment.

These do not need to be referred to the department for comment.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,

**Daniel Wong** 

**Environmental Officer** 

Department of Water and Environmental Regulation

Planning Advice South West Region

Note: in DWER's original submission, they erroneously marked projects 26 and 35 as being exempt from referral; however following Shire enquiry this was updated on 19 June to advise that projects marked 26 and 35 would need to be referred to DWER. Their above comments have been updated accordingly. Full records are stored in Tardis dated 23 June 2020.

#### Officer addition to DWER comments:

Acid sulphate soils: Projects 12, 13, 31, 37, 39 & 40

• Stormwater management: 13, 14, 24, 31 & 39

• Flood: 26, 35, 37

• Water availability: 40

• Native vegetation clearing: 37

Wastewater (noting location in a sewage sensitive area): 37

• No water or environment issues identified: Projects 1 – 11, 15 – 23, 25, 27 – 30, 32 – 34, 36, 38, 41, 42 & 44

Note: refer to DWER's details comments above, for details of each requested referral below.

Number on now	New on	Proposed / possible	Referral relating to possible
superseded plan	amended plan	future improvement	environmental concern
advertised in	August 2020		(if applicable)
May 2020			
12	13	Upgrade public toilets	Acid sulphate soils
13	4	Resolve drainage	Acid sulphate soils
		outside school	Stormwater management
14	25	Community / school	Stormwater management
		playground	
		improvements	
24	24	Formalise car parking	Stormwater management
		in Gardiner Reserve	
26	11	Improve northern	Flood
		town entrance	
31	27	Multi-use facility /	Acid sulphate soils
		sports pavilion	Stormwater management
35	40	Path between Burekup	Flood
		and Roelands	
37	37	Picnic spot along Collie	Acid sulphate soils
		River	Flood
			Native vegetation clearing
			Wastewater (noting location in a
			sewage sensitive area)
39	42	Upgrade existing open	Acid sulphate soils
		drains	Stormwater management
40	39	Community garden /	Acid sulphate soils
		food forest	Water availability

Following an assessment of outcomes from the May-June 2020 community consultation via 'Connect' and from written submissions received, an internal review of the draft plan was undertaken. Project priorities were adjusted to reflect community comments received and the plan amended accordingly for presentation at a Councillor workshop on 1 July 2020. Following comments received in this workshop a final review was undertaken and minor changes made to the plan prior to presentation at a Community meeting held on 8 July 2020. Further comments were received in this meeting and final adjustments made to the draft plan prior to it being presented to Council on 26 August 2020.

### Community engagement in 2019

The summary of outcomes from Workshop 2, held in December of 2019, is included below. Prior to this, a community survey and inverviews were undertaken, as well as an initial workshop with facilitators Tuna Blue. Detailed outcomes of this first workshop with Tuna Blue have not been included below for brevity, however they were used as a basis for Workshop 2 and outcomes from both workshops included in the consultation assessment in the *Outcomes of 2019 Burekup community engagement* document which was included as an appendix to the report to Council dated 25 March 2020.





### Community Facilities Plan

#### **WORKSHOP TWO**

### **Burekup Hall**

Wednesday, 04 December 2019 | 6.00pm - 8.00pm

#### Workshop Report

Workshop Facilitation and Reporting by Will Bessen of Tuna Blue Facilitation

#### Overview

Members of the Burekup community regathered for a second workshop to obtain community consensus on the key proposed and possible future facilities upgrades and projects for inclusion in the Burekup Community Facilities Plan and confirmation of priority for these initiatives.

By the end of the workshop, participants had:

- Reflected on the outcomes of Community Workshop One,
- Considered and refined the Draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan developed by the Shire of Dardanup,
- Ranked the proposed projects in order of priority,
- Further refined the 'Civic Precinct' schematic layout, and
- Considered the next steps for the finalisation of the Plan.

#### **Executive Summary**

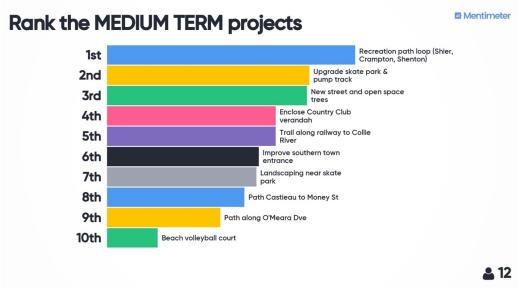
The following refinements are suggested to the Draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan.

 Transfer the Multiuse Sports Facility from 'potential future' to 'proposed' projects as it is a high community priority and needs Shire feasibility modelling undertaken as they first step

- Ensure a smart restricted access option is developed for access to the rear of the Country Club if project 14 (levelling of ground between skate park and cricket nets) restricts access. A padlocked chain and key connected to the Country Club keys is important
- Consider a road safety audit to investigate traffic calming options for the Castieau St and Gardiner St intersection

The priority projects for the short and medium term 'proposed' projects are:





#### Draft Plan Feedback

**Will Bessen** presented the outcomes of the first workshop and the requested population forecasts for Burekup.

The participants warmed up using Mentimeter technology to consider 'what's your earliest memory of Burekup?'

Responses

- Visiting a friend
- Seeing the rolling hills on the drive home.... very relaxing
- Space, farm feel, freedom of kids playing
- Picking up mail at local store rather than having a postie
- A small quiet town and then living at 17 Clarke St in 1991; now at 17 Russell Rd and retired
- Visiting a friend and hearing the train
- Shenton Rd trees
- Coming to school in Burekup Hall
- I was born and raised in Burekup and have fond memories of playing with friends out on the street
- Visiting the little church
- Looking at the house we bought 6 years ago
- Riding pushbikes in the rail reserve (the bike tracks)
- 1970 working with PWD
- 11 years ago, purchased land in Orchard Road. Best aspect we saw
- Coming to sister in laws farm at the top of town
- Dusty road...nowhere to buy a good coffee
- Bought a block of land in 1981

**Vicki Pretorius** presented the Draft Burekup Community Facilities Plan based on the inputs from community surveys, interviews and workshop one.

#### Discussion

- Does the 2009 Burekup Expansion Strategy still apply given that Wanju is now in place?
  - Yes, the urban deferred areas for future demand remain in three separate stages
  - It will be reviewed when the Town Planning Scheme and Local Planning Strategy is reviewed from mid 2020 onwards
- What about road bituminisation?
  - That's captured as a longer term initiative
- The sports club infrastructure should be highlighted as a 'Proposed' project given it is a high priority for the community
  - If it's high priority, the Shire can start looking at feasibility for a multiuse facility to be built in the longer term'
  - Could look at a retrofit to the existing building to make it more feasible?
  - If the Shire can look at the cost of a retrofit, it gives the community something to work towards and lobby for

- Can numbers 7 and 14 on the Draft Plan be merged to create a combined parking area and keep vehicle access to the rear of the Country Club?
  - At current it would likely be a gate and chain with permission to access the Country Club
  - We need a smart solution for restricted access
- BMX track and natureplay are in good locations
- Visitor and wayfinding signage are in sensible locations; you could even add a public BBQ there
- Can there be red light cameras and gates at the rail crossings?
- Could Hutchison Rd be widened as an interim measure whilst waiting for the walk trail? It
  needs an effort to make it safer for the people who walk it regularly.

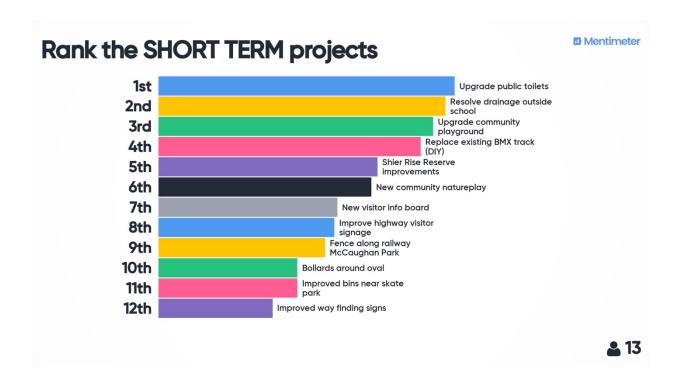
#### Table Feedback

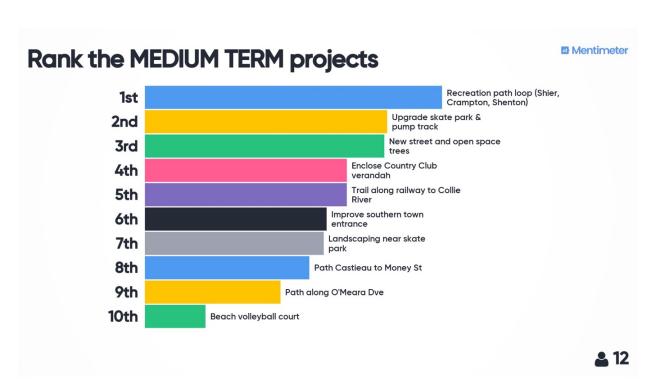
The feedback gathered on the Draft Plan maps at the tables is listed below.

- Develop the block next to the shop and provide a Council incentive to do so (for lunches or coffees)
- See Dardanup Primary School for an example of a cheap, free and easy plan for a natureplay area
- Bitumen on Orchard Rd and Clark St is required
- Beach volleyball courts are initially popular and then rarely used
- Clarke St to Crampton Rd extension only needs a footpath
- Traffic calming is required at Castieau St and Gardiner St intersection
- Road safety audit needed for Castieau St and Gardiner St intersection due to lack of visibility and safety issues

## **Priority of Projects**

The participants used a mixture of Mentimeter technology and pen/paper to prioritise the 'proposed' projects from the Draft Plan. *Note – Multiuse Sports Facility is to be moved from the 'potential future' to the 'proposed' list.* 







POLICY NO:-

### CP033 - TRADERS ON SHIRE RESERVES AND ROAD VERGES

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#### 1. RESPONSIBLE DIRECTORATE

Sustainable Development

#### 2. PURPOSE OR OBJECTIVE

The purpose of this Policy is to provide direction to the Shire of Dardanup Council in the processing of applications for Stallholder's and Trader's Permits to trade from public places within the Shire of Dardanup in accordance with the Shire of Dardanup 'Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Amendment Local Law 2009'.

The objectives of this Policy include:

- To identify and designate appropriate locations for vendors to operate;
- To allow for stallholders and mobile traders to operate in a manner that does not conflict with the normal functions of the Shire;
- To protect existing levels of public amenity experienced on the Shire's reserves and other public places;
- To set minimum standards in the interest of public safety, environmental protection and social amenity.

### 3. REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

• The Shire of Dardanup 'Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Amendment Local Law 2009'

## 4. DEFINITIONS

The terms used in this Policy and their definitions are as follows:

Term	Definition
Public Place, Stall, Stallholder,	As per Local Law
Stallholder's Permit, Trader's	
Permit, Trader, Trading	
Trading permit	A stallholder's or trader's permit
Mobile Trader	A trader selling goods and services in a public place whose vehicle / equipment can be completely removed from site at the end of each day.
Roaming Trade	Trading from a vehicle on the road reserve, with the trader remaining in a particular location for as long as there is a customer making a purchase and then moving on from that location.
Local Law	Shire of Dardanup 'Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Amendment Local Law'

### 5. POLICY

This policy applies to mobile traders within the Shire of Dardanup and includes the following types of mobile traders:

- 1. **Type 'A'** Mobile traders utilising a vehicle, caravan, trailer or stall for the purpose of trading in a public place;
- 2. **Type 'B'** Mobile traders providing a service for which minimal equipment is required and which are flexible in terms of location (i.e. fitness, yoga, tai-chi classes etc.);
- 3. **Type 'C'** Roaming Mobile traders utilising a vehicle, caravan or trailer for the purpose of trading utilising a public road reserve and remaining in a particular location for as long as there is a customer making a purchase and then moving on from that location.
- 4. **Type 'D'** Residents trading from a stand or stall on the road verge adjacent to their residential property within residential areas of town-sites.

This Policy provides specific application and operational requirements for all mobile trading occurring on the Eaton Foreshore Reserves and other public places within the Shire of Dardanup.

## 'Type A' Traders - Public Notification and Application Process - Eaton Foreshore Only

- a) The approved area for 'Type A' permits on Eaton Foreshore will be allocated by the Principal Parks and Gardens Supervisor.
- b) A maximum of three (3) 'Type A' permits will be concurrently granted by Council to operate within the Eaton Foreshore approved trading area at any one time, at specific trading locations.
- c) Permits will be allocated to a particular location, which will represent the approved location for the business activity for the duration of the permit, unless otherwise approved in writing by Council.
- d) Existing permit holders will be required to submit a new application if they wish to be considered for the following financial year.
- e) Prior to 30 June of each year the Shire will call for expressions of interest by way of newspaper and website advertising to ascertain levels of interest from operators wishing to be granted one of the 'Type A' permits available for the following financial year. All applications must be submitted by the date advised in the public notice using the form specified under the Local Law. When applications received exceed the number of trading positions available, an officer's report is to be presented to Council by June 30th of each year to determine the approved permits for the following financial year.
- f) In determining applications, Council reserves the right to refuse an application even if all available trading positions have not been allocated for a particular financial year, if Council determines the proposed use is incompatible with the area or of a standard that is unacceptable.
- g) If applications received during the Expression of Interest process do not exceed the available trading positions, such applications may be approved by Staff under the delegated authority of Council, subject to the application meeting all requirements.
- h) If available trading positions are not all occupied following the expression of interest process, Council can approve an application received outside of the above process for any of the remaining trading positions, for the remainder of the applicable financial year expiring 30 June. Such applications may be approved by Staff under the delegated authority of Council, subject to the application meeting all requirements.
- i) Successful applicants will be advised of the outcome, and must submit any supporting information requested and pay the application fee and annual fee (pro rata for applications outside the above process) for the issue of a trading permit in this location within one month of being advised of their successful application. If the fee and any information requested is not

received within one month of notification, then the offer has lapsed and the trading position will be offered to another applicant at the discretion of Council staff.

#### **Application Process**

- 'Type A' Traders Balance of Shire Reserves and Other Public Places but Excluding Gnomesville
- 'Type B' Traders Any Public Place including Eaton Foreshore but Excluding Gnomesville
- 'Type C' Traders Roaming Trade
- 'Type D' Traders Road Verge Trading
- a) Applications can be submitted at any time throughout the year.
- b) Applications involving a single vehicle / van / stall (including Type C) may specify more than one trading location and will be required to pay only one application fee and fee for trading duration and be issued with a single permit.
- c) Applications involving multiple vehicles / vans / stalls will be required to pay a separate application fee and fee for trading duration for each vehicle / van / stall, and will be issued with a separate permit for each vehicle / van / stall.
- d) Applications may be approved by staff under the delegated authority of Council.
- e) There are no limits on the number of Type B traders that may be granted a permit for a reserve or other public place, or on the number of Type C traders permits issued for roaming trade.
- f) Limits may be imposed on the number of 'Type A' traders that are permitted to operate at a specific location any one time. When these limits are imposed, exercise of trading permits shall be on a "first come, first served" basis.
- g) 'Type A' permits may be restricted to specific locations or general trading areas within specific reserves or other public places.
- h) 'Type B' traders are not restricted to a particular location within a specific reserve or other public place but may be excluded from particular locations on the reserve or other public place.
- i) The existing operation of a similar business on a reserve or other public place will not be a means to refuse any application for a trading permit.
- j) Trader's permits for roaming trade will only authorise trading within town site boundaries.

### General Matters (Applicable to 'Type A', 'Type B', 'Type C' and 'Type D'):

- a) Traders permits will not be issued for trading at Gnomesville for reasons of public safety. This Policy will be amended to address trading at Gnomesville when the Gnomesville Masterplan has been approved by Council, provided the approved Masterplan provides for the issue of traders permits for the location.
- b) Traders activities are not to interfere with other users of the reserve or other public place.
- c) Traders whose trading involves the selling or distribution of food and/or drinks are to comply with the Food Act 2008 and the Food Standards Code.
- d) Traders shall ensure compliance with the Environmental Protection (Noise) Regulations 1997 at all times.
- e) The Shire reserves the right to vary the conditions of a stallholder's or trader's permit at any time.
- f) The Shire may cancel a stallholder's or trader's permit pursuant to Clause 6.9 of the Local Law if the trader has not complied with a condition of the permit or provision of any written law which may relate to the activity regulated by the permit.
- g) All stallholder's and trader's permits will be issued for a maximum of 12 months and will be valid from 1 July to 30 June of the following year. If granted after 1 July, stallholder's and trader's permits will be valid from the date of issue to 30 June of the following year.
- h) Where an Organisation has an existing agreement with Council for the use of a reserve or other public place, written approval from that Organisation must be submitted with any trading permit application seeking approval to trade from the public place subject to an existing agreement.
- i) Where an Organisation or individual has a lease agreement giving them the exclusive right of access to an area of public land, trading activities on that portion of land to which they are

- granted exclusive rights of access will not be subject to the Local Law or this policy as the land subject to the lease is not within the definition of a public place.
- j) A trader shall not conduct trading on any day that there is a Shire of Dardanup approved 'event' on the reserve or other public place for which the right to authorise trading has been granted to the organiser by the Shire, unless otherwise approved by the event organiser (e.g. Shire organised events, Eaton Foreshore Festival, Dardanup Bull and Barrel Festival).
- k) When a Permit holder for a particular class of goods or services at the Eaton Foreshore is unavailable to trade at a particular time, or there is no permit holder for a particular class of goods or services at the Eaton Foreshore, an event organiser may invite another trader to trade at their approved event subject to the approval of the Shire Environmental Health Officer and to the trader having a current Traders Permit with the Shire of Dardanup.
- 1) 'Type D' applications from property owners to have a stand or stall on the road verge adjacent to their property will be assessed to check that it is safe for customers to reverse onto the carriageway before approval will be granted. Approvals will be granted for Local Access Streets only.
- m) Applicants will be recommended to have an adequate level of insurance/liability cover for the trade activity.
- n) 'Type D' applications may be approved under staff delegated authority provided all of the following are met:
  - The primary purpose of the site must be residential.
  - Approval will be limited to the sale of produce grown on the property (fruit, vegetables, flowers, plants and other plant products).
  - Where produce is edible, approval will be limited those foods that are Very Low Risk (as determined by the Environmental Health Officer).
  - Stands and stalls will be limited to a maximum of 1m<sup>2</sup> excluding any umbrella used for shade, and must be located on the road verge adjacent to the property boundary and close to the property driveway.
  - No intrusion is permitted onto any footpath.
  - The stand or stall is permitted to be in place on the road verge during daylight hours only, and must be removed from the road verge and placed within the property boundary before sunset each day.
  - The driveway of the property must remain unobstructed to allow customers to park off the carriageway where they will not obstruct the footpath.
  - Where an application meets all of the above points, staff may request that the CEO consider a fee waiver of trading permit fees. **Note:** where food is sold an application for registration of a food business is required, along with payment of the application fee.
- o) 'Type D' applications that do not meet the above criteria must be considered by Council. Where applications involve the sale of items not produced on the applicant's place of residence, neighbour's approval will be required, and trading permit fees apply <u>unless</u> the items sold are for a not-for--profit or charitable organisation. Where an application is approved by Council, applications for Trade Permits in the years following may be issued under staff delegated authority with the same conditions.
- p) In determining applications for trading permits, Council will have regard to Clause 5.5 of the Local Law and the following criteria:
  - Benefit to the community;
  - Experience of the trader;
  - Appearance and quality of the operation and equipment;
  - Safety management measures implemented by the trader;
  - Risk management measures implemented by the trader;

- The appropriateness of the activity/ business having regard to pedestrian, patron and vehicular safety within the area;
- The appropriateness of the activity/ business having regard to the purpose for which the land is reserved, used or zoned;
- The potential impacts (i.e. parking, traffic, noise etc.) of the trading activity on nearby residences and landowners;
- The availability of ablution facilities if required for the trading activity: and
- The extent to which previous trading permits have been utilised, if applicable.

## **Conditions of Approval (General)**

If Council determines to approve an application for a stallholder's or trader's permit, conditions can be imposed on the permit including, but not limited to, the conditions of Clause 5.2, 5.3 and 5.6 of the Local Law and the following:

- The trader shall not deposit or store any item associated with their activity on any footpath, vehicle access way or thoroughfare so as to create an obstruction.
- The trader shall provide confirmation to the Shire of a valid public liability insurance policy to operate the subject trading activity, prior to commencement of the trading activity which is to be thereafter maintained. The Policy shall indemnify both the trader and the Shire against any death or injury to a person or property arising from the approved trading for a minimum value of \$10 million.
- The solicitation of customers by touting or the use of public address systems shall not be permitted at any time.
- The trader shall keep their area of operation clean and tidy at all times to the satisfaction of the Shire.
- The trader shall ensure that no debris, litter, cleaning agents, detergents or waste of any kind result from their activities.
- This permit cannot be transferred to another trader.
- This permit is valid for a maximum period of 12 months, expiring on 30 June.
- The trader shall cease trading upon notification from the Shire of any maintenance works or any other matter as determined by the Shire that may be required to be conducted on the reserve or other public place which shall not recommence until such time as the trader is further notified in writing by the Shire.
- The trader shall make all reasonable attempts to utilise their trading permit to its full extent. If the local government determines that a trading permit is not being utilised sufficiently, the local government may revoke the trading permit (Eaton Foreshore only)
- A trader shall not request any member of the public using the trading area to relocate from the designated trading area at any time.

## Revocation of Stallholder's or Trader's Permit

Council may revoke a trading permit for the following reasons:

- a) The nature of the trade is different to that approved;
- b) Vehicles and/or equipment are not as described in the application;
- c) Conditions of approval are not being adhered to;
- d) The approved trader is not utilising the approval at least one day per week (Type A traders for Eaton Foreshore only);
- e) The activity is causing a nuisance to other users of the public place or nearby residences/landowner.

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OVERALL RISK EVENT:		to the Trader's	Policy "CP-033	3 – Traders on Si	Amendment to the Trader's Policy "CP-033 – Traders on Shire Reserves and Road Verges"			
RISK THEME PROFILE:	FILE:							
10 - Management	10 - Management of Facilities, Venues and Events							
RISK ASSESSMENT CONTEXT:	T CONTEXT: Operational							
CONSECUENCE		PRIOR TO TREATMENT		OR CONTROL	BISK ACTION BLAN	AFTER TRE	AFTER TREATEMENT OR CONTROL	ONTROL
CATEGORY	RISK EVENT	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕЦІНООД	INHERENT RISK RATING	(Treatment or controls proposed)	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕЦІНООБ	RESIDUAL RISK RATING
НЕАГТН	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Preferred option that SoD remains a signatory to the Leschenault CLAG MoU, and recipient of DoH funding, and technical support.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
FINANCIAL IMPACT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	High (12 - 19)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	The Shire being found to not be democratic/equitable enough with its approach to the mobile trade industry.	Moderate (3)	Possible (3)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Preferred option that SoD adopts the proposed amendments to "CP-033—Traders on Shire Reserves and Road Verges"	Minor (2)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)
REPUTATIONAL	The Shire found to not be supportive enough to the mobile traders industry, or activation and utilisation of public areas.	Moderate (3)	Possible (3)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Preferred option that SoD adopts the proposed amendments to "CP-033—Traders on Shire Reserves and Road Verges"	Insignificant (1)	Rare (1)	Low (1 - 4)
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.





POLICY NO:-

### CP033 - TRADERS ON SHIRE RESERVES AND ROAD VERGES

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### 1. RESPONSIBLE DIRECTORATE

Development Services Directorate – Environmental Health Department

#### 2. PURPOSE OR OBJECTIVE

The purpose of this Policy is to provide direction to the Shire of Dardanup Council in the processing of applications for Stallholder's and Trader's Permits to trade from public places within the Shire of Dardanup in accordance with the Shire of Dardanup 'Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Amendment Local Law 2009'.

The objectives of this Policy include:

- To identify and designate appropriate locations for vendors to operate;
- To allow for stallholders and mobile traders to operate in a manner that does not conflict with the normal functions of the Shire;
- To protect existing levels of public amenity experienced on the Shire's reserves and other public places;
- To set minimum standards in the interest of public safety, environmental protection and social amenity.

#### 3. REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

• The Shire of Dardanup 'Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Amendment Local Law 2009'

## 4. DEFINITIONS

The terms used in this Policy and their definitions are as follows:

Term	Definition	
Public Place, Stall, Stallholder,	As per Local Law	
Stallholder's Permit, Trader's		
Permit, Trader, Trading		
Trading permit	A stallholder's or trader's permit	
Mobile Trader	A trader selling goods and services in a public place whose vehicle / equipment can be completely removed from site at the end of each day.	
Roaming Trade	Trading from a vehicle on the road reserve, with the trader remaining in a particular location for as long as there is a customer making a purchase and then moving on from that location.	
Local Law	Shire of Dardanup 'Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Amendment Local Law'	

#### 5. POLICY

This policy applies to mobile traders within the Shire of Dardanup and includes the following types of mobile traders:

- 1. **Type 'A'** Mobile traders utilising a vehicle, caravan, trailer or stall for the purpose of trading in a public place;
  - 2. **Type 'B'** Mobile traders providing a service for which minimal equipment is required and which are flexible in terms of location (i.e. fitness, yoga, tai-chi classes etc.);
  - 3. **Type 'C'** Roaming Mobile traders utilising a vehicle, caravan or trailer for the purpose of trading utilising a public road reserve and remaining in a particular location for as long as there is a customer making a purchase and then moving on from that location.
  - 4. **Type 'D'** Residents trading from a stand or stall on the road verge adjacent to their residential property within residential areas of town-sites.

This Policy provides specific application and operational requirements for all mobile trading occurring on the Eaton Foreshore Reserves and other public places within the Shire of Dardanup.

#### 'Type A' Traders - Public Notification and Application Process - Eaton Foreshore Only

Proposed amendment to title:

'Type A or C' Traders – Application Process - Eaton Foreshore Only

- a) The approved area for 'Type A' permits on Eaton Foreshore will be allocated by the Principal Parks and Gardens Supervisor.
- b) A maximum of three (3) 'Type A' permits will be concurrently granted by Council to operate within the Eaton Foreshore approved trading area at any one time, at specific trading locations.
- c) Permits will be allocated to a particular location, which will represent the approved location for the business activity for the duration of the permit, unless otherwise approved in writing by Council.
- d) Existing permit holders will be required to submit a new application if they wish to be considered for the following financial year.
- e) Prior to 30 June of each year the Shire will call for expressions of interest by way of newspaper and website advertising to ascertain levels of interest from operators wishing to be granted one of the 'Type A' permits available for the following financial year. All applications must be submitted by the date advised in the public notice using the form specified under the Local Law. When applications received exceed the number of trading positions available, an officer's report is to be presented to Council by June 30<sup>th</sup> of each year to determine the approved permits for the following financial year.
- f) In determining applications, Council reserves the right to refuse an application even if all available trading positions have not been allocated for a particular financial year, if Council determines the proposed use is incompatible with the area or of a standard that is unacceptable.
- g) If applications received during the Expression of Interest process do not exceed the available trading positions, such applications may be approved by Staff under the delegated authority of Council, subject to the application meeting all requirements.
- h) If available trading positions are not all occupied following the expression of interest process, Council can approve an application received outside of the above process for any of the remaining trading positions, for the remainder of the applicable financial year expiring 30 June. Such applications may be approved by Staff under the delegated authority of Council, subject to the application meeting all requirements.
- i) Successful applicants will be advised of the outcome, and must submit any supporting information requested and pay the application fee and annual fee (pro rata for applications outside the

above process) for the issue of a trading permit in this location within one month of being advised of their successful application. If the fee and any information requested is not received within one month of notification, then the offer has lapsed and the trading position will be offered to another applicant at the discretion of Council staff.

#### Proposed amendment:

- a) A maximum of three 'Type A or C' traders are permitted to operate, within an approved trade location, at Eaton Foreshore.
- b) Approved trade locations are available on a first-come-first-serve basis, to any 'Type A or C' trader that holds a valid Permit to Trade issued by the Shire of Dardanup.
- c) Approved trade locations are not exclusive to any particular trader, and cannot be reserved.
- d) Approved trade locations at Eaton Foreshore will be decided based on agreement with the applicant and the relevant departments of the Shire. Departments shall have regard to pedestrian safety, traffic safety, vehicular flow, compliance with traffic laws, impact on facilities and services in the Reserve (water, electricity, infrastructure and equipment), and potential nuisance issues.
- e) Traders must be engaged in an approved trade activity while occupying an approved trade location.
- f) When the trade activity has ended, the mobile trade vehicle/s and associated infrastructure must be removed from the Eaton Foreshore.
- g) Traders must carry suitable indemnity cover, and must abide by the conditions of their Permit to Trade at all times.

#### **Application Process**

- 'Type A' Traders Balance of Shire Reserves and Other Public Places but Excluding Gnomesville
- 'Type B' Traders Any Public Place including Eaton Foreshore but Excluding Gnomesville
- 'Type C' Traders Roaming Trade
- 'Type D' Traders Road Verge Trading adjacent to resident's home.

#### Proposed amendment:

- 'Type A' Traders Shire Reserves and Other Public Places
- 'Type B' Traders Any Public Place including Eaton Foreshore
- 'Type C' Traders Roaming Trade
- 'Type D' Traders Road Verge Trading adjacent to resident's home.
- a) Applications can be submitted at any time throughout the year.
- b) Applications involving a single vehicle / van / stall (including Type C) may specify more than one trading location and will be required to pay only one application fee and fee for trading duration and be issued with a single permit.
- c) Applications involving multiple vehicles / vans / stalls will be required to pay a separate application fee and fee for trading duration for each vehicle / van / stall, and will be issued with a separate permit for each vehicle / van / stall.

#### Proposed amendment:

- b) Applicants may specify only one vehicle / van / stall (including Type C) per application. Application fee and fee for trading duration apply.
- c) Applications involving multiple vehicles / vans / stalls will be required to lodge a separate application for each vehicle, and pay a separate application fee and fee for trading duration for each vehicle / van / stall. Applicants will be issued with a separate permit for each vehicle / van / stall.
- d) Applicants may specify one or more trading location per application.

- e) Applications may be approved by staff under the delegated authority of Council.
- f) There are no limits on the number of Type B traders that may be granted a permit for a reserve or other public place, or on the number of Type C traders permits issued for roaming trade.

## Proposed amendment:

- f) Applications by Type B traders may be made for the Foreshore and other public places in the Shire, excluding Gnomesville.
- g) Applications by Type C traders may be approved for a town-site/s in the Shire.
- h) Limits may be imposed on the number of 'Type A and C' traders that are permitted to operate at a specific location any one time. When these limits are imposed, exercise of trading permits shall be on a "first come, first served" basis.
- i) 'Type A' permits may be restricted to specific locations or general trading areas within specific reserves or other public places.
- j) 'Type B' traders are not restricted to a particular location within a specific reserve or other public place but may be excluded from particular locations on the reserve or other public place.

## Proposed amendment:

- j) 'Type B' traders may be excluded from particular locations on a reserve or other public place.
  - k) The existing operation of a similar business on a reserve or other public place will not be a means to refuse any application for a trading permit.
- I) Trader's permits for roaming trade will only authorise trading within town site boundaries.

#### Proposed amendment:

- I) Type C trade permits may not be issued for areas outside of town-sites due to higher speed limits, and potential traffic safety risks.
- m) Type C trade is not permitted at Gnomesville as this form of trade is not accommodated under the Gnomesville Masterplan.

## General Matters (Applicable to 'Type A', 'Type B', 'Type C' and 'Type D'):

a) Traders permits will not be issued for trading at Gnomesville for reasons of public safety. This Policy will be amended to address trading at Gnomesville when the Gnomesville Masterplan has been approved by Council, provided the approved Masterplan provides for the issue of traders permits for the location.

### Proposed amendment:

- a) Traders Permits will not be issued for Gnomesville unless permitted by the Gnomesville Masterplan and approved by Council.
- b) Traders activities are not to interfere with other users of the reserve or other public place.
- c) Traders whose trading involves the selling or distribution of food and/or drinks are to comply with the Food Act 2008 and the Food Standards Code.
- d) Traders shall ensure compliance with the Environmental Protection (Noise) Regulations 1997 at all times.
- e) The Shire reserves the right to vary the conditions of a stallholder's or trader's permit at any time.
- f) The Shire may cancel a stallholder's or trader's permit pursuant to Clause 6.9 of the Local Law if the trader has not complied with a condition of the permit or provision of any written law which may relate to the activity regulated by the permit.
- g) All stallholder's and trader's permits will be issued for a maximum of 12 months and will be valid from 1 July to 30 June of the following year. If granted after 1 July, stallholder's and trader's permits will be valid from the date of issue to 30 June of the following year.
- h) Where an Organisation has an existing agreement with Council for the use of a reserve or other public place, written approval from that Organisation must be submitted with any trading permit application seeking approval to trade from the public place subject to an existing agreement.

- i) Where an Organisation or individual has a lease agreement giving them the exclusive right of access to an area of public land, trading activities on that portion of land to which they are granted exclusive rights of access will not be subject to the Local Law or this policy as the land subject to the lease is not within the definition of a public place.
- j) A trader shall not conduct trading on any day that there is a Shire of Dardanup approved 'event' on the reserve or other public place for which the right to authorise trading has been granted to the organiser by the Shire, unless otherwise approved by the event organiser (e.g. Shire organised events, Eaton Foreshore Festival, Dardanup Bull and Barrel Festival).

### Proposed amendment:

- j) A trader shall not conduct trading at the Eaton Foreshore on the day of the Eaton Foreshore Festival, at the Dardanup Oval (Wells Park) or Dardanup Hall during the Dardanup Bull and Barrel Festival or while setup for the Dardanup Bull and Barrel Festival is occurring, or on any reserve or other public place while a Shire of Dardanup organised event is occurring, unless otherwise approved by the Shire event organiser.
- k) When a Permit holder for a particular class of goods or services at the Eaton Foreshore is unavailable to trade at a particular time, or there is no permit holder for a particular class of goods or services at the Eaton Foreshore, an event organiser may invite another trader to trade at their approved event subject to the approval of the Shire Environmental Health Officer and to the trader having a current Traders Permit with the Shire of Dardanup.
- l) 'Type D' applications from property owners to have a stand or stall on the road verge adjacent to their property will be assessed to check that it is safe for customers to reverse onto the carriageway before approval will be granted. Approvals will be granted for Local Access Streets only.
- m) Applicants will be recommended to have adequate level on insurance/liability cover for the trade activity.

#### Proposed amendment:

- Remove clause k) as it is no longer applicable if any Type A or Type C permit holder is permitted at the Foreshore.
- Combined clause I) and m) into one as clause m) specifically pertains to Type D traders...
  - k) 'Type D' applications from property owners to have a stand or stall on the road verge adjacent to their property will be assessed to check that it is safe for customers to reverse onto the carriageway before approval will be granted. Approvals will be granted for Local Access Streets only. Applicants will be recommended to have adequate level on insurance/liability cover for the trade activity.
- k) 'Type D' applications may be approved under staff delegated authority provided all of the following are met:
  - The primary purpose of the site must be residential.
  - Approval will be limited to the sale of produce grown on the property (fruit, vegetables, flowers, plants and other plant products).
  - Where produce is edible, approval will be limited those foods that are Very Low Risk (as determined by the Environmental Health Officer).
  - Stands and stalls will be limited to a maximum of 2m2 excluding any umbrella used for shade, and must be located on the road verge adjacent to the property boundary and close to the property driveway.
  - No intrusion is permitted onto any footpath.
  - The stand or stall is permitted to be in place on the road verge during daylight hours only, and must be removed from the road verge and placed within the property boundary before sunset each day.
  - The driveway of the property must remain unobstructed to allow customers to park off the carriageway where they will not obstruct the footpath.
  - Where an application meets all of the above points, staff may request that the CEO
    consider a fee waiver of trading permit fees. Note: where food is sold an application for
    registration of a food business is required, along with payment of the application fee.

- I) 'Type D' applications that do not meet the above criteria must be considered by Council. Where applications involve the sale of items not produced on the applicant's place of residence, neighbour's approval will be required, and trading permit fees apply <u>unless</u> the items sold are for a not-for--profit or charitable organisation. Where an application is approved by Council, applications for Trade Permits in the years following may be issued under staff delegated authority with the same conditions.
- m) In determining applications for trading permits, Council will have regard to Clause 5.5 of the Local Law and the following criteria:
- Benefit to the community;
- Experience of the trader;
- Appearance and quality of the operation and equipment;
- Safety management measures implemented by the trader;
- Risk management measures implemented by the trader;
- The appropriateness of the activity/ business having regard to pedestrian, patron and vehicular safety within the area;
- The appropriateness of the activity/ business having regard to the purpose for which the land is reserved, used or zoned;
- The potential impacts (i.e. parking, traffic, noise etc.) of the trading activity on nearby residences and landowners;
- The availability of ablution facilities if required for the trading activity: and
- The extent to which previous trading permits have been utilised, if applicable.

## **Conditions of Approval (General)**

If Council determines to approve an application for a stallholder's or trader's permit, conditions can be imposed on the permit including, but not limited to, the conditions of Clause 5.2, 5.3 and 5.6 of the Local Law and the following:

- The trader shall not deposit or store any item associated with their activity on any footpath, vehicle access way or thoroughfare so as to create an obstruction.
- The trader shall provide confirmation to the Shire of a valid public liability insurance policy to operate the subject trading activity, prior to commencement of the trading activity which is to be thereafter maintained. The Policy shall indemnify both the trader and the Shire against any death or injury to a person or property arising from the approved trading for a minimum value of \$10 million.
- The solicitation of customers by touting or the use of public address systems shall not be permitted at any time.
- The trader shall keep their area of operation clean and tidy at all times to the satisfaction of the Shire.
- The trader shall ensure that no debris, litter, cleaning agents, detergents or waste of any kind result from their activities.
- This permit cannot be transferred to another trader.
- This permit is valid for a maximum period of 12 months, expiring on 30 June.
- The trader shall cease trading upon notification from the Shire of any maintenance works or any other matter as determined by the Shire that may be required to be conducted on the reserve or other public place which shall not recommence until such time as the trader is further notified in writing by the Shire.
- The trader shall make all reasonable attempts to utilise their trading permit to its full extent. If the local government determines that a trading permit is not being utilised sufficiently, the local government may revoke the trading permit (Eaton Foreshore only)
- A trader shall not request any member of the public using the trading area to relocate from the designated trading area at any time.
- Applicants wishing to install signs are to comply with the requirements of the Town Planning Scheme, and the Shire's Infrastructure Services. And are to complete any necessary applications (prior to the installation of the sign).

## Revocation of Stallholder's or Trader's Permit

Council may revoke a trading permit for the following reasons:

- a) The nature of the trade is different to that approved;
- b) Vehicles and/or equipment are not as described in the application;
- c) Conditions of approval are not being adhered to;
  d) The approved trader is not utilising the approval at least one day per week (Type A traders for Eaton Foreshore only);
- The activity is causing a nuisance to other users of the public place or nearby residences/landowner.

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REPUTATIONAL	Risk that customer levels of service are reduced or not maintained to meet public expectation.	Moderate (3)	Possible (3)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
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SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	W/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	W/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
REPUTATIONAL	Council may receive negative publicity for not addressing accidents which are eligible for Blackspot funding.	Minor (2)	Likely (4)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
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Sudi Mishra

Manager Information Services

### TECHNOLOGY (ICT) STRATEGIC PLAN INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION

2020-2030

Strategic Objective: The Shire will have a customer focused, intuitive digital system for effective & efficient governance & delivery of services, facilities & infrastructure.



# Information & Communication Technology (ICT) Plan $^{\sim}$ 2020-2030

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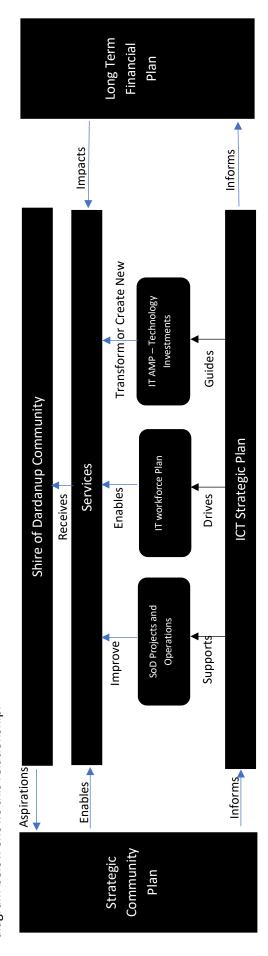
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### Context

Information & Communication Technology (ICT) Plan ~ 2020-2030

The Shire of Dardanup Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Plan 2020-2030 is the result of consultation with the Executive Management Team, managers, subject matter experts and the information services team of Shire of Dardanup. The Plan enables our Council to capitalize on the opportunities and overcome the challenges it currently faces through the use of current and future technologies.

functions. The Plan will also guide the short-term and long-term technology investments that will enhance or create new services for our community. The The Strategic Community Plan 2018-2028 and the Strategic Community Plan internal review 2020-2030 have been the informing documents for this Plan. The ICT Plan objectives will support the achievement of Council's organisational strategies and actions, while facilitating the performance of operational tasks and diagram below shows this relationship.



workshop with the managers and the subject matter experts, used this direction and the Strategic Community Plan objectives to produce the business Two workshops were held to ensure the Plan has a direct alignment with the Strategic Community Plan. The first workshop asked the Executive Management Team to look at the Strategic Community Plan, set the direction and a high-level objective for the organisation to achieve these outcomes. The second requirements for the 10-year plan.

alignment to the Strategic Community Plan, which makes our community the direct and indirect beneficiaries. To ensure the projects delivered through this plan support the outcomes and the effect of the change on the organization, the Information Services team will continue to review the Plan and collaborate The Plan scope covers the services provided to both internal and external customers. Hence the projects in this Plan are outcome focused and have direct with the relevant stakeholders i.e. the department staff and the executive team throughout the life of this Plan.

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### Overview

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### Introduction

Welcome to the first ICT Strategic Plan for the Shire of Dardanup. As Klaus Schwab, the founder and chairman of world economic forum defines, we now live in the Fourth Industrial Revolution, which is characterized by a fusion of technologies that are blurring the lines between the physical, digital, and biological remains at the forefront of technology to enable, transform and inspire our community through improving services, facilities and the way they live. In 2018 spheres. The Shire of Dardanup is preparing for this new revolution through the development of a 10-year ICT Strategic Plan. This will ensure that the Council the Information Services team embarked on the journey of converting the Strategic Community Plan outcomes into technology solutions.

systems and processes to contemporary software applications. This stage will ensure the community interacts with new and modern technologies that enable With direction from the Executive Management Team and workshop consultation with Managers and Senior Officers, the 2020 – 2030 ICT Strategic Plan has been produced. The roadmap for the Plan has three stages: Short-Term - the first stage from year's 2020 to 2024 will see the ICT initiatives improving current them to improve their engagement with the Council. Medium-Term - the second stage from years 2025-2027 will see the transformation of services delivered to the community, with the gradual movement towards Internet of Things (IoT) and other technologies. This stage will enable the Council to move toward innovative service delivery like smart waste management and infrastructure services. Our workforce will be fully mobile with access to information anywhere and everywhere.



Long-Term - The last stage of this Plan will see our services inspire our community to converge towards using technology as a primary means of consuming services delivered by the Council. Use of IoT, Artificial Intelligence (AI) and data analytics will enable businesses and our community to invest and live in our Shire as their preferred choice. This stage will see our organisation become a leader in operational efficiency through ICT enabled systems and processes.

# Strategic Analysis (SWOT): Information and Communication Technology perspective

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- Our Council's investment in the latest IT assets and resources enables rapid delivery of new services at reduced costs.
- 2. IT staff have highly developed competencies in hardware, software, data analytics and agile project management.

Internal Strengths

- Council staff have intermediate to advanced computer and software skills.
- Business efficiencies are driven by the latest business systems and software tools.
- 5. Council and Management acknowledge IT as a strategic element of the organisation.

- The core ERP system (SynergySoft) is aged with no capability of supporting modern business capabilities and processes.
- Maintaining duplicate systems are costly and staff find it confusing to use multiple system.
- 3. Field staff have to be in the office to complete basic tasks as some systems cannot be accessed outside the office.
- 4. Information to support decision making is often time consuming, and paper-based forms make basic task inefficient.
- 5. Collaboration between business units is difficult.

**External Threats** 

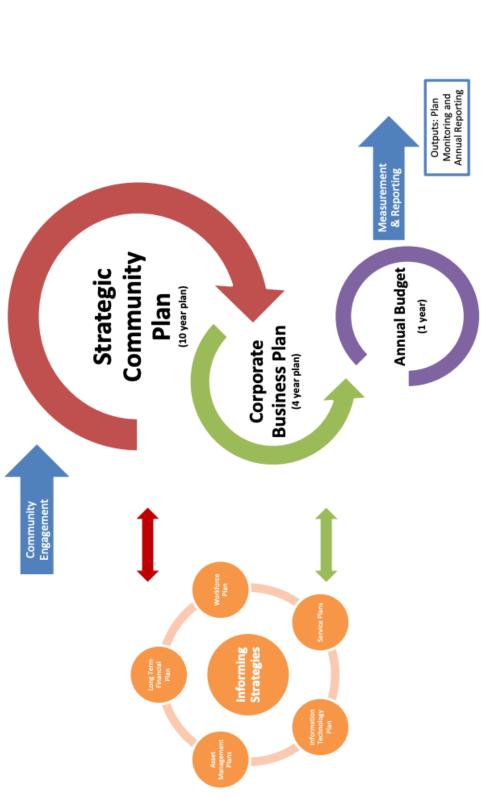
- are þе to expectations services for delivered online. Community increasing
- engagement is possible as mobile and web application development become affordable. Multi-channel
- make software platforms low-code and Apple are investing funds to Software companies like Microsoft and Al enabled. 3.
- are playing key roles in improving Enterprise data and information the life of our local community. 4.
- new A drive towards smart cities and service delivery open data are creating ocal governments. avenues of

- and aged hardware/software systems are becoming prime Cyber-attacks are increasing, targets for these attacks.
  - local government which are Skilled staff are attracted to investing in new technologies. confidence Community 7 ო
- performance audits from the government agencies who cannot deliver compliance basic services online. State Government. .⊑ 4. Increasing declining
- being State and Federal government policies may mandate services government outsourced. <u>5</u>

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### A guide to this Plan

The Plan is one of the informing strategies that underpins the Strategic Community Plan and is an element of Integrated Planning & Reporting Framework.



**Elements of Integrated Planning and Reporting** 

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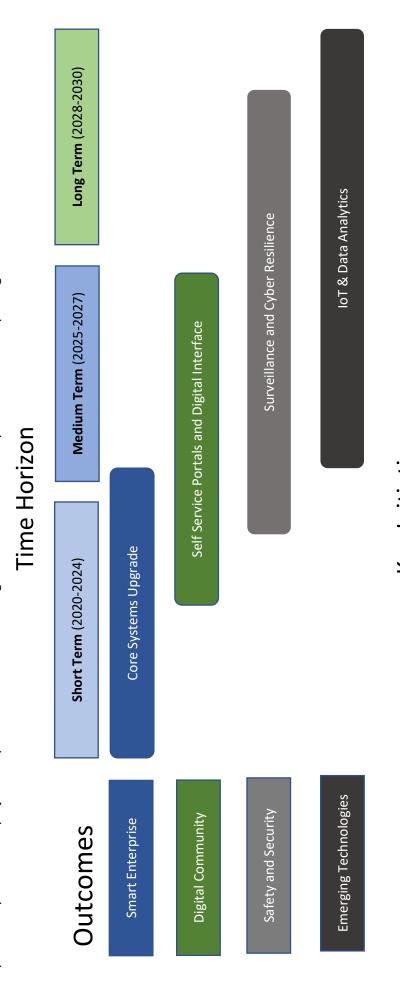
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- The Plan consists of four ICT outcomes.
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- 4. Emerging Technologies

Each ICT Outcome aims to drive strategic thinking to select the projects and make investment decisions. The contents of an ICT Outcome show the relationship between Strategic Plan objectives and ICT objectives. The ICT Objectives have one or more projects assigned to it. The Estimated Duration column is the preliminary estimate of project completion time in months. Diagram below shows the key initiatives roadmap as a guidance to this Plan.



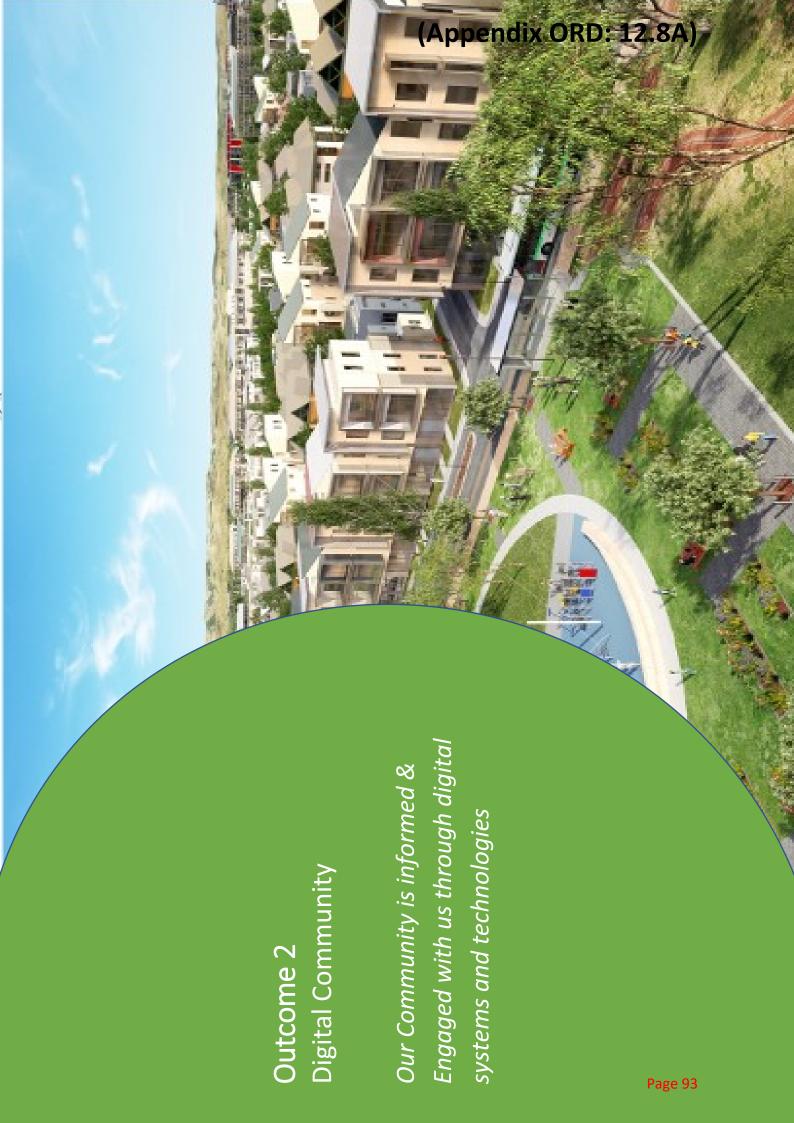
Key Initiatives



	Relate	ICT Strategy	ICT Projects/Actions	Est. Duration
වු	Evaluate current or process and recom that improve effici	Evaluate current core systems and process and recommend digital systems that improve efficiencies.	<ul> <li>Review existing and potential future Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system</li> <li>Council Meeting Management system</li> <li>Full Document Digitization</li> <li>Enterprise Project Management System</li> </ul>	95
1.2 To provide quality leadership Integrate compliand that is respected and accountable.	Integrate compliand systems.	Integrate compliance reporting with core systems.	<ul><li>Risk and Compliance System</li><li>Implement Enterprise Reports and Dashboards</li></ul>	18
1.3 A long term strategically Find commercialisation opportu focused Council that is efficient, effective and financially sustainable.	Find commercialisat Shire owned softwa	Find commercialisation opportunities for Shire owned software products.	<ul> <li>Develop TARDIS commercialisation</li> <li>Proposal for the Council</li> </ul>	12
1.4 Services and facilities are Review the current customer provided with a customer focus and services. and reflect the needs of the Shire's residents.	Review the current c management system	ustomer s and services.	<ul> <li>Review customer request management system</li> <li>Implement field services app</li> </ul>	12
2.2 To be Environmentally Develop Digital monitoring systems. Sustainable.	Develop Digital moni	toring systems.	<ul> <li>Integrate environment management systems</li> <li>Convert paper to digital forms</li> </ul>	24
2.3 Land use provisions within the rural, industrial and urban areas through Mapping and GIS services. reflect current and future needs.	Develop advance dec through Mapping and	ision support I GIS services.	<ul> <li>Migrate Intramaps to an enterprise Geographic Information System platform</li> </ul>	12

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Strategic Community Plan Objective	Plan	Related ICT Strategy	ICT Projects/Actions	Est. Duration
2.6 Be a Place of diverse Built E Form.	ப் ம	Evaluate ease of access digital services for businesses and our community.	<ul> <li>Integrate online self-service portal to core systems</li> </ul>	to 12
3.1 To be a Creative Community Ide that fosters cultural and artistic mactivity and diversity.	ž ž ž	Identify and develop facilities usage and monitoring system and promote through media channels.	<ul> <li>Create facilities data analytics and dashboards</li> </ul>	9
3.2 To be an inclusive community Use that promotes active involvement cor in community life and a strong thr sense of community pride.	Use cor thr	Use Business Systems promote community events and provide feedback through media channels.	<ul> <li>Events management and systems training</li> </ul>	ത
3.3 To be a community supported Use by a strong volunteer base where prorleadership, inclusiveness and supported independence is fostered.	Use	Use Business Systems to identify and promote volunteering and leadership.	<ul> <li>Systems training for the community through the online portal</li> </ul>	9
3.4 To continue to be a safe and Develo secure community.	Dev syst grou	Develop training and collaboration systems for Emergency and volunteer groups.	<ul> <li>Link the Training and Emergency Management portal with the Shire of Dardanup website</li> </ul>	12 of
3.6 Our community will have Create access to adequate health, health community and social services.	Crea	ate digital platform for cemeteries, Ith assessments and ease of access.	<ul> <li>Implement a new Health         Management System</li> <li>Implement new Cemeteries         Management System</li> </ul>	9



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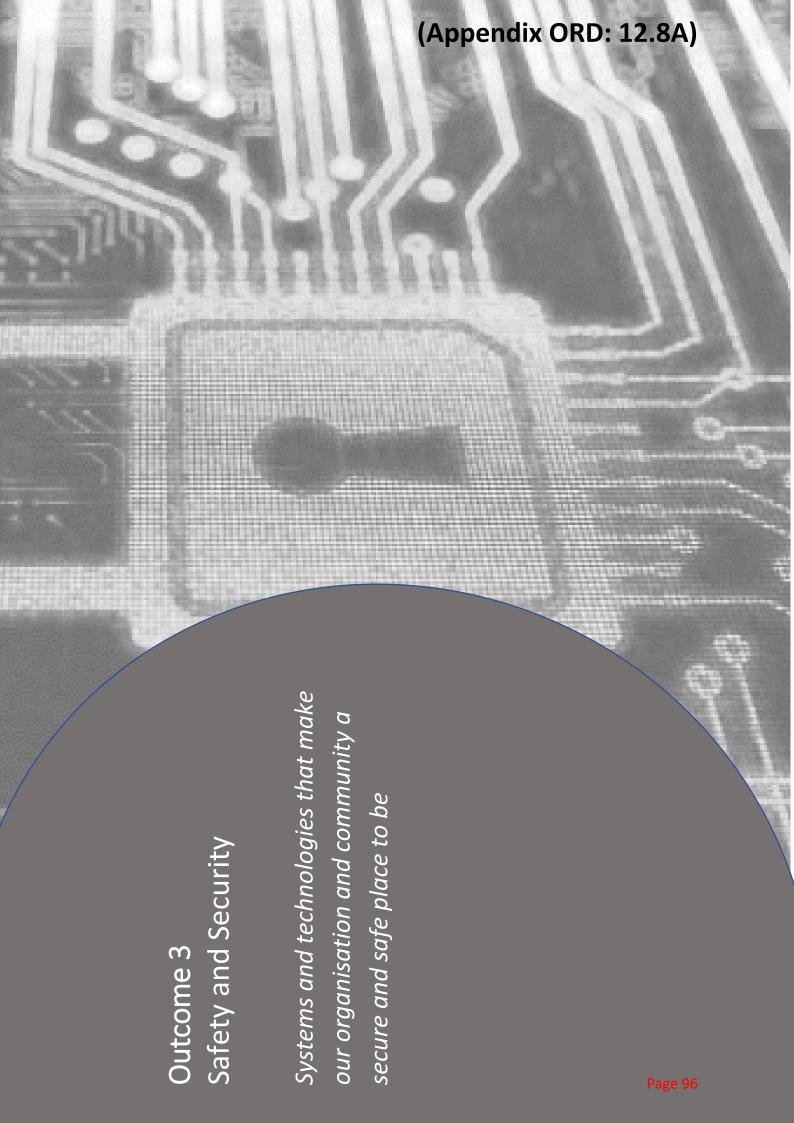
ICT Strategy ID	Strategic Community Plan Objective	Related ICT Strategy	Projects	Est. Duration
13.	1.1 To provide good governance to the community.	Review current customer facing information channels.	<ul> <li>New Councillor Portal</li> <li>Shire of Dardanup website</li> <li>upgrade</li> <li>Intranet upgrade</li> </ul>	12
14.	1.4 Services and facilities are provided with a customer focus and reflect the needs of the Shire's residents.	Internet & Audio-Visual Enabled Facilities.	<ul> <li>Upgrade internet bandwidth</li> <li>Internet access point at all Shire facilities</li> <li>AV systems to all Shire meeting rooms</li> </ul>	12
15.	3.1 To be a Creative Community that fosters cultural and artistic activity and diversity.	Review collaborate working spaces supported by technology projects.	<ul> <li>Maker Space innovation hub within new Library</li> <li>Artist Database through community development</li> </ul>	24
16.	3.2 To be an inclusive community that promotes active involvement in community life and a strong sense of community pride.	Evaluate digital platforms for events and facilities booking.	<ul><li>Event booking system</li><li>Facility Booking System</li><li>Data publishing community activities</li></ul>	12
17.	3.3 To be a community supported by a strong volunteer base where leadership, inclusiveness and supported independence is fostered.	Develop a Database for Volunteers and leaders.	<ul> <li>Publish Volunteers Data on communication channels and systems</li> </ul>	9

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ICT Strategy ID	Strategic Community Plan Objective	Related ICT Strategy	Projects	Est. Duration
18.	4.1 Be supportive of business by encouraging the establishment and ongoing sustainability of diverse business and industries of all sizes.	Engage businesses and industries to develop requirements for a digital solution.	<ul> <li>Business Portal for self-service and fast tracking of Applications.</li> <li>Publish local Supplier Database</li> </ul>	. 18
19.	4.2 Be a destination of choice for visitors to the region.	Enable digital infrastructure for Tourists.	<ul> <li>Free WIFI access points on tourism locations</li> </ul>	12
20.	5.1 To be a Connected Community.	Evaluate connection channels for the community.	<ul><li>SoD Citizen App</li><li>Citizen Self-service portal for new digital services.</li></ul>	w 18
21.	5.2 To be a Liveable Community.	Assess options for technologies community self-service.	<ul> <li>Online payments and facilities booking</li> </ul>	12

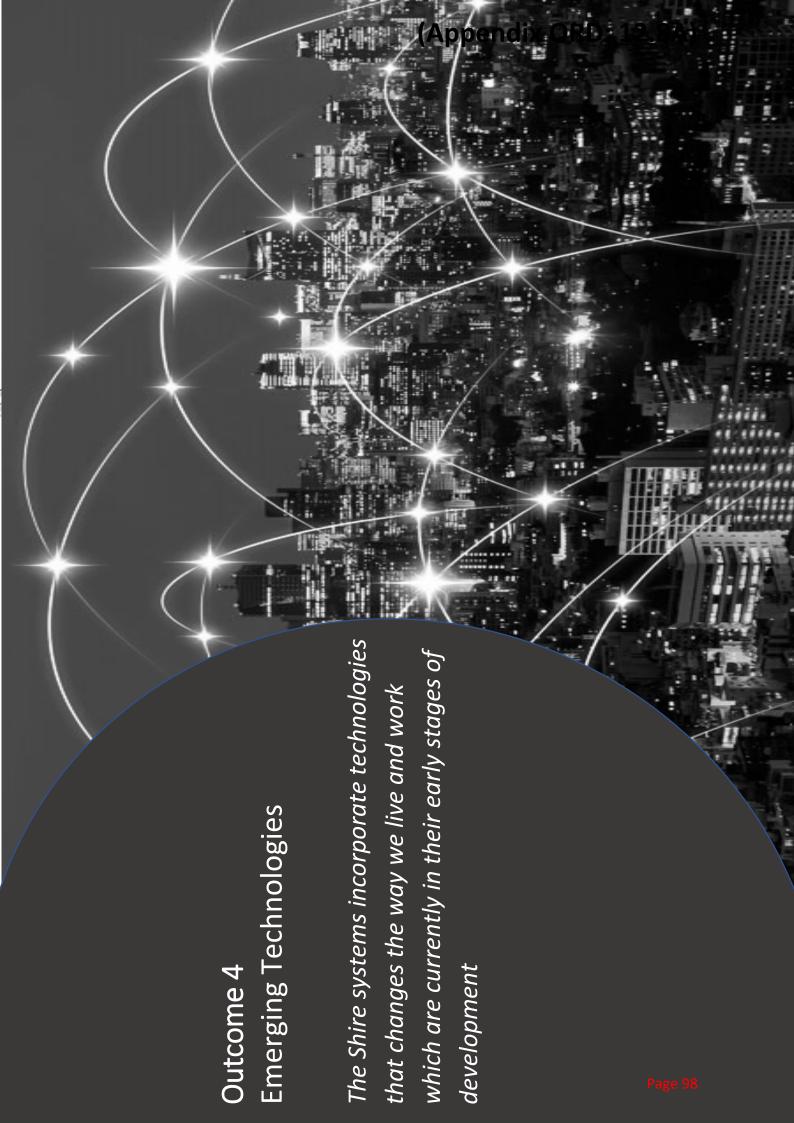


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ect .	Implement a new Offender Management System Implement GIS for graffiti and vandalism	Cultural analytics GIS for cultural matters	CCTV and Duress Alarms enabled for Council managed facilities Integrate to WA Police system	Implement Cyber Security Accreditation for suppliers	CCTV for specific high risk public open spaces  Maps and analytics of high-risk areas	Implement analytics for community hazards
Project	•		•	•	_	•
Related ICT Strategy	Develop Vandalism and graffiti reduction digital solution proposal.	Consider local Aboriginal Insights to capture cultural matters.	Enable Security monitoring for the Council facilities and Public open spaces areas.	Enable Cyber threat resilience within our local Businesses and Suppliers.	Expand security surveillance in public open spaces where adequately resourced.	Evaluate Hazard and emergency detection technologies.
Strategic Community Plan Objective	2.1 To protect, enhance and responsibly manage our natural environment and public open spaces.	3.1 To be a Creative Community that fosters cultural and artistic activity and diversity.	3.4 To continue to be a safe and secure community.	4.1 Be supportive of business by encouraging the establishment and ongoing sustainability of diverse business and industries of all sizes.	5.2 To be a Liveable Community.	5.4 To be a Safe and Secure Community
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ICT Strategy ID	Strategic Community Plan Objective	Related ICT Strategy	Project	Est. Duration
28.	1.2 To provide quality leadership that is respected and accountable.	Access Everywhere.	<ul> <li>Touch screen tablets as computers for designated mobile staff</li> <li>Cloud migration for targeted applications</li> </ul>	24
29.	1.4 Services and facilities are provided with a customer focus and reflect the needs of the Shire's residents.	Implement the Internet of Things (IoT) technologies as smart cities infrastructure.	Pilot loT     Drone Inspections	12
30.	2.1 To protect, enhance and responsibly manage our natural environment and public open spaces.	Evaluate smart assets for Parks and Gardens.	<ul><li>IoT for smart irrigation</li><li>Drone flights for permits</li></ul>	12
31.	2.2 To be Environmentally Sustainable.	Data collection automation for Environment.	<ul> <li>Smart water and soil monitoring IoT</li> <li>Business Intelligence dashboard for environment</li> </ul>	12
32.	3.1 To be a Creative Community that fosters cultural and artistic activity and diversity.	Evaluate Augmented Reality platforms for Artists.	<ul> <li>Augmented Reality for Dardanup Arts</li> <li>3D Maps</li> </ul>	18

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<ul> <li>IoT for Wellbeing</li> <li>Service consumption dashboard</li> </ul>	<ul><li>IoT for food and water</li><li>Analytics for health hazards</li></ul>	<ul><li>Smart Supplier</li><li>Smart Debtors</li></ul>	<ul><li>IoT for Tourists</li><li>Tourism forecasting analytics</li></ul>	<ul> <li>IoT for asset management</li> </ul>	<ul><li>History Portal</li><li>Heritage Augmented Reality</li></ul>
Develop Community Wellbeing Technology Architecture.	Evaluate automation options for Health and wellbeing.	Promote integration of local suppliers and debtors with existing systems.	Develop smart tourism proposal.	Develop Smart Management Proposal.	Develop Shire of Dardanup Heritage platform.
3.2 To be an inclusive community that promotes active involvement in community life and a strong sense of community pride.	3.5 Our community will be a healthy place to live.	4.1 Be supportive of business by encouraging the establishment and ongoing sustainability of diverse business and industries of all sizes.	4.2 Be a destination of choice for visitors to the region.	5.1 To be a Connected Community.	5.2 To be a Liveable Community.
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### **Execution & Governance**

### **Council Review Process**

Once the ICT Strategic Plan is adopted by Council, the Plan will be reviewed every two years in conjunction with the review of the Information Technology Asset Management Plan.

### **Project Implementation**

The projects identified in the ICT Strategic Plan are prioritised in Appendix 1. The implementation of these projects is based on the allocation of staffing and financial resources which are outlined in the Shire of Dardanup IT Asset Management Plan, Workforce Plan and Long Term Financial Plan.

### **ICT Steering Group**

It is recommended that a Steering Group (SG) be established to consider and manage the following:

- Project monitoring and reporting;
- Resource allocation;
- New Budget Requests;
- Prioritisation of projects;

### Reporting to Executive.

### Membership

Members of this Steering Group should include;

- Deputy CEO
- Manager Information Services
- Senior Officer from Information Services Team
- Any other Business Manager (Depending on the project)
- Business Advisors (Depending on the project).

**Note**: The group above represents the participants that will be selected based on the business unit leading the specific projects. Enterprise projects, for example the new ERP or Customer Request Management System, will see a formal project team established to incorporate cross functional staff that ensures a broader representation of the organisation.

### **Project Prioritisation**

The priorities are established by staff and the Executive Management Team (EMT), with Council endorsement of these projects and priority rankings. To assist in this selection process, each improvement is tagged with an estimated time for completion; these are in the time horizons. The rationale for the prioritisation of projects in Appendix 1 is based on an enterprise architecture perspective. This means that higher ranking projects form the building blocks of a digital enterprise system which is the foundation upon which other projects can be implemented.

### **Risk Management**

Project risks are to be assessed as per the Shire of Dardanup Risk Management Governance Framework.

### **Standard ICT Operations**

The scope of this Plan covers capital or special projects only. Daily IT and Business Information Services operations will continue as normal and new operational tasks such as improvements to current business systems, will be undertaken as part of IT/BIS operations.

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### Appendix 1

### **Project Priorities**

\* Project will be considered a part of ERP.

Project Priority	ICT Strategy ID	Project Description
1.	14	Upgrade Internet Bandwidth. This will enable the Shire and its community to have a responsive network infrastructure required for modern technologies.
2.	1	A web portal for Councillors to receive information like agendas and minutes, event dates and calendars, Shire news, submit work requests and questions.
3.	T	Review existing and potential future Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system. This project will be the foundation for a connected, intuitive digital enterprise system.
4.	4	*Review Customer Request Management system- validate if FUSION Customer Request Management (CRM) will meet the customer service needs.
2.	4	*Field Services app - create mobile application for field services work and integrate it with CRM and other systems.
9.	13	Shire of Dardanup Website Refresh – New Shire website that consolidates all external services (Admin, Library, and ERC) and enables integration to internal processes.
7.	က	Develop TARDIS commercialisation proposal for the Council – A business case will be presented to Council for TARDIS to be sold as a software to other Local Governments.

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Project Priority	ID	Project Description
⊗ <sup>i</sup>	1	Full Document Digitization - Conversation of remaining physical records in Dardanup office. This will enable us to move toward paperless enterprise and improve process efficiencies.
9.	29	Pilot IoT- Installation of first IoT infrastructure to enable other Smart City initiatives
10.	1	*Council Meeting Management system – A business system that runs the Council meeting management cycle electronically and improves process efficiency.
11.	13	Intranet Refresh – Create a modern Intranet for the organization to improve staff engagement and collaboration
12.	1	*Enterprise Project Management System – Project and portfolio management software that integrates with ERP, CRM and Asset Management systems.
13.	12	*Health Management System – Implementation of a business system that will enable the regulatory function of Health to manage all its activities in single integrated system.
14.	9	Migrate enterprise GIS – Migrate from Intramaps map publishing to an enterprise GIS platform to provide business improvement in Regulatory, Infrastructure and community engagement areas.
15.	18	Business Portal for self-service and fast tracking of Applications — A new system that will enable the business community to interact with the Shire through a web application that is designed business transactions.
16.	16	*Event Booking System – An Event Booking system that is integrated with ERP. This will enable the community to book for paid and free events.
17.	6	Events Management and Systems training — Training on organising events by utilising business systems. The training will incorporate other systems training as well.

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Project Priority	ICT Strategy ID	Project Description
18.	21	*Online Payments and Facilities Booking — Integrate all services to online payments including facilities booking.
19.	5	Digital forms – Assessment of all the forms within the Shire and converting them into Electronic forms powered by workflow automation.
20.	24	CCTV and Duress alarms enabled for Council managed facilities – Installation and integration of CCTV and duress alarms to Shire facilities and integration with corporate systems.
21.	15	Maker Space innovation hub within new Library – Building a makerspace innovation facility in the new admin facility that enables the local community to collaborate, showcase and create innovative products.
22.	2	Risk and Compliance System – Implement a Corporate R&C system that integrates with other business systems.
23.	20	*Citizen Self-service portal – A personal portal for all ratepayers and residents that will enable them to engage with the Shire on a fully digital platform. Some of the services will include service requests and tracking, Online payments and applications.
24.	7	Integrate online self-service portal to core systems – All online services offered though external channels re-integrated to the Corporate Business Systems.
25.	2	*Reports and Dashboards – Creation of enterprise dashboards and enabling the business users to create their reports using enterprise Business Intelligence software tool
26.	28	*Touch screen tablets as computers for designated mobile staff – project to identify and deploy mobility devices to field and other relevant staff. This project will deliver a fully mobile workforce with systems integrated to back office functions.
27.	5	*Integrate Environment Management systems – Integration of data from Environment management system with core business systems.

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Project Priority	ICT Strategy ID	Project Description
28.	12	*Review Cemeteries System – Review Cemeteries module and integrate it with the CRM and ERP systems
29.	10	Systems training for the community — Create program of systems training for community application for improved adoption of digital services.
30.	25	Cyber Security Accreditation for Suppliers- A project to enable suppliers to have Cyber security Accreditation that will allow them to become preferred supplier and assist us ensuring our supplier transactions are secure.
31.	8	*Facilities Data Analytics and dashboards — Using smart technologies and data, Analytical reports and dashboards will be created to enable better planning and management of Shire owned facilities.
32.	11	Training and Emergency Management Portal – A web portal for Emergency management staff that will enable them to have training and other crucial contents accessible from one place.
33.	14	Internet access point at all Shire facilities – Scope and install Devices to enable internet to all the facilities within the Shire.
34.	14	Audio Visual systems to all Shire meeting rooms – This is to be included as part of the new admin building and ensure meeting rooms in depot and other facilities are AV enabled.
35.	19	Free WIFI access points on tourism locations – Install Internet enabled access points to identified tourist location.
36.	26	CCTV for specific high risk public open spaces- Create a CCTV Public open space plan to rollout CCTV cameras to Public open spaces to enable a safer community.
37.	29	Pilot IoT- Setup IoT infrastructure and propose a pilot Business case to realise Smart City benefits
38.	37	IoT for asset management – Create an IoT asset Management business case that aligns with Council's Asset Management lifecycle. This business case will assist in understating how to create an integrated IoT Asset Management system

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39.	29	Drone Inspections – A project to automate compliance using drone and Artificial Intelligence capabilities. This initiative aims to improve compliance inspections and improve process efficiencies.
40.	16	Data publishing community activities – An open data portal where the data of community activities will be published. The objective is to enable business to make investment and growth decisions.
41.	18	*Local Supplier Database – Enable an electronic process for local supplier to register with the Council. This will be integrated the with Financial ERP module. This Database can be exposed to other interested parties like the Chamber of Commerce and other local government agencies as the case permits. It aims to improve of economic advantage for local suppliers by becoming trusted business.
42.	17	Publish Volunteers Data on communication channels and systems – A project to create interactive volunteer's data portal to enable community to collaborate on various projects that are supported by volunteers.
43.	15	Artist Database – An integration project focused on capturing Artist information from different channels and enabling Shire staff and community to engage them to in various place and community events and programs.
44.	20	SoD Citizen App – Develop a mobile app that is one stop shop for Shire of Dardanup's citizens to consume digital services and integrate it with business systems.
45.	22	GIS for Graffiti and Vandalism – Produce a GIS module to capture, inform and reduce Graffiti and vandalism through community engagement and crowd sourcing.



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46.	22	Offender Management System- Implement a business system that manages offender and the cases related to them. The project will aim to integrate this with police systems. The aim is to enable the management to get insights into the crime activities within the Shire.
47.	28	Cloud Migration for targeted applications – Review the state of business systems and data to establish use cases for application and infrastructure to move to cloud. The object is to stay current with technology and reduce management overheads.
48.	30	IoT smart Irrigation – A project will be undertaken to identify the irrigation systems in the Shire and enable case specific IoT devices on these systems. This will enable the Shire to better management water and other resources.
49.	35	*Smart Supplier – Integrate supplier ERP to Shire procurement module. This will enable the officer to connect directly to supplier product/supplier catalogue and place and order directly. An innovative and better way of managing projects and procurement activities.
50.	35	*Smart Debtors — A project to allow for our ERP debtor module to allow for holding credits in debtor's accounts and billing them as required. Essential for larger and modern enterprise to create better economic environment for business to engage with the Shire.
51.	34	IoT for food and water – Enabling IoT to be extended to Environment health and food premise management. The devices will enable the health department to reduce the time required for regulatory compliance activities. Project will enable us to become proactive in Health Management activities.
52.	33	IoT for wellbeing – Install sound, dust, heat and other sensors to be installed around the Shire localities to produce wellbeing data for our communities. Objective is to channel the Shire and other industry efforts improve specific factors for wellbeing.

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53.	34	Analytics for health hazards – Project to study the use of Artificial Intelligence for reducing health hazards within the Shire for example mosquito outbreak, bushfire risk etc.
54.	27	Analytics for community hazards – Project to study the use Artificial intelligence identify and reduce community hazards like road traffic incidences, dog attacks, graffiti and vandalism.
55.	26	Maps and analytics of high-risk areas — A GIS project to integrate the organisation risks into and apply Business intelligence to improve risk management.
.99	23	*GIS for Cultural matters – A GIS project for bringing native and other cultural data into the Enterprise mapping system.
57.	23	Cultural Analytics – A study into using artificial intelligence to understand cultural trends with the Shire and impacts on future growth.
58.	24	Integrate to WA Police system – Automate the integration of CCTV's within the Shire facilities to WA police system. A controlled approach to improve on crime prevention by reducing organisation overhead.
59.	33	Service consumption Dashboard – A business intelligence project on how Big data and IoT can be used to create a dashboard for the community that shows how our community consumes the Shire services.
60.	31	Smart Monitoring IoT – Implementation of a software that centrally monitors and controls all our Environment IoT devices.
61.	31	Business Intelligence for Environment – A big Data research project that shows how the data collected from Environment IoT devices can be used to create a more sustainable Environment.
62.	36	IoT for Tourists – A research project with tourism operators on enabling IoT enabled tourism. This will focus on creating personalised experience for the tourists visiting our Shire.

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	36	Tourism forecasting Analytics- The project focus will be on using Data and Artificial Intelligence to forecast tourism activities within the Shire.
64.	32	3D Maps – An enterprise GIS project to convert all objects into 3D models. This will enable business units to simulate planning and engineering activities with real work structure.
	38	History Portal – A project to create a website dedicated for historical information about the Shire of Dardanup.
.99	32	Augmented Reality for Dardanup Arts — A project to explore Augmented Reality for creating models for Dardanup arts. This can be included in the history portal.
	38	Heritage Augmented Reality – A project to explore Augmented reality for Heritage listed sites and integrate this with History portal.

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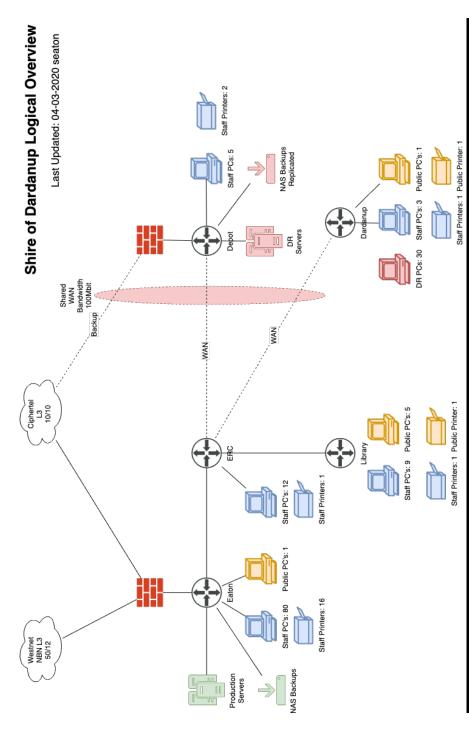
### Appendix 2

**Project Selection Template** 

Project Title	
Short Description	
Business Benefits	
Est. Time and schedule	
Cost	
Resource	
Client	
Project Manager	

# Appendix 3

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			RISI	RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL	ENT TOOL			
OVERALL RISK EVENT:		nent of Informatio	on and Commur	iication Technol	Endorsement of Information and Communication Technology Strategic Plan			
RISK THEME PROFILE:	FILE:							
11 - IT, Communication Systems al 13 - Project/Change Management	11 - IT, Communication Systems and Infrastructure 13 - Project/Change Management	cture		1 - A	1 - Asset Sustainability Practices			
RISK ASSESSMENT CONTEXT:	T CONTEXT: Strategic							
CONSECUENCE		PRIOR TO T	PRIOR TO TREATMENT OR	OR CONTROL	NA IG MOITOA NSIG	AFTER TRE	AFTER TREATEMENT OR CONTROL	ONTROL
CATEGORY	RISK EVENT	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕПНООБ	INHERENT RISK RATING	(Treatment or controls proposed)	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕПНООБ	RESIDUAL RISK RATING
НЕАГТН	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
FINANCIAL IMPACT	IT Asset Management Plan will be aligned to incorporate new ICT projects.	Minor (2)	Almost Certain (5)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	W/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
REPUTATIONAL	Compromised Quality of IT and IS might affect the reputation of council in providing services.	Moderate (3)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.

			RISI	<b>RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL</b>	ENT TOOL			
OVERALL RISK EVENT:		Expenditure of unbudgeted funds	d funds					
RISK THEME PROFILE:	FILE:							
3 - Failure to Fulfi 2 - Business and C	3 - Failure to Fulfil Compliance Requirements (Statutory, Regulatory) 2 - Business and Community Disruption	(Statutory, Regula	atory)					
RISK ASSESSMENT CONTEXT:	T CONTEXT: Operational	nal						
CONSECUENCE		PRIOR TO T	PRIOR TO TREATMENT OR CONTROL	CONTROL	NA IS NOTED A SIG	AFTER TRE	AFTER TREATEMENT OR CONTROL	ONTROL
CATEGORY	RISK EVENT	CONSEQUENCE	ГІКЕГІНООБ	INHERENT RISK RATING	(Treatment or controls proposed)	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕПНООБ	RESIDUAL RISK RATING
НЕАГТН	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
FINANCIAL	Budget is exceeded or funds not correctly expended	Moderate (3)	Possible (3)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Not required.	Insignificant (1)	Rare (1)	Low (1 - 4)
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	Unable to complete scheduled capital project work	Major (4)	Almost Certain (5)	Extreme (20 - 25)	Ensure that funds are sourced to undertake path and foreshore repair.	Insignificant (1)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	Funding expended without proper authority	Moderate (3)	Possible (3)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Obtain Council approval	Insignificant (1)	Rare (1)	Low (1 - 4)
REPUTATIONAL	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.

			ISK	ISK ASSESSMENT TOOL	NT TOOL			
OVERALL RISK EVENT:		Failing to monitor the financial performance can incre legislative requirement could result in a qualified audit.	ancial performa ald result in a qu	nce can increas alified audit.	Failing to monitor the financial performance can increase the risk of a negative impact on the Shire's financial position. Non-compliance with legislative requirement could result in a qualified audit.	Shire's financial p	osition. Non-cor	npliance with
RISK THEME PROFILE:								
3 - Failure to Fulfi	3 - Failure to Fulfil Compliance Requirements (Statutory, Regulatory)	Statutory, Regula	itory)					
RISK ASSESSMENT CONTEXT:	T CONTEXT: Operational	lal						
CONSECUENCE		PRIOR TO T	PRIOR TO TREATMENT OR	OR CONTROL	NA IG NOTTON YEIGH	AFTER TRE	AFTER TREATEMENT OR CONTROL	ONTROL
CATEGORY	RISK EVENT	CONSEQUENCE	ГІКЕПНООБ	INHERENT RISK RATING	(Treatment or controls proposed)	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕПНООБ	RESIDUAL RISK RATING
неастн	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
FINANCIAL IMPACT	Not monitoring ongoing financial performance would increase the risk of a negative impact on the financial position.	Moderate (3)	Unlikely (2)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	Non-compliance with the legislative requirements that results in a qualified audit.	Minor (2)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
REPUTATIONAL	Non-compliance that results in a qualified audit can lead stakeholders to question the Council's ability to manage finances effectively.	Insignificant (1)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.



#### **Monthly Financial Report**

#### For the Period

#### 1 July 2020 to 31 July 2020

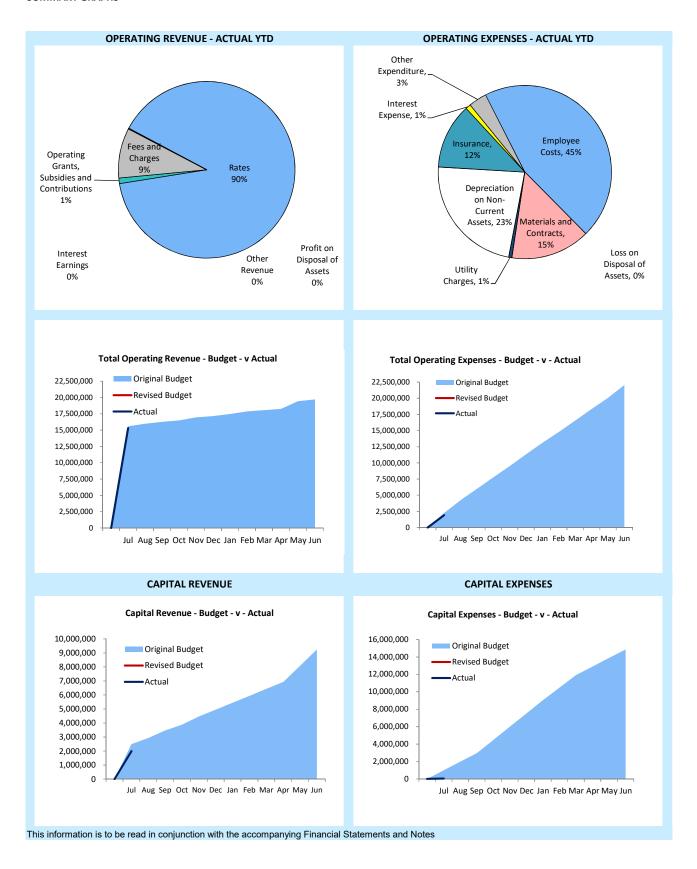
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#### Monthly Financial Report For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

#### **SUMMARY GRAPHS**





## Statement of Financial Activity by Program For the Period Ended 31 July 2020 (Covering 1 month or 8.3% of the year)

	Sch	2020/21 Adopted	2020/21 Revised	2020/21 Y-T-D Revised	2020/21 Y-T-D	Variance Y-T-D \ Actual to Revised	/ariance Y-T-D Actual to Revised	2020/21	2019/20 Last Year
		Budget	Budget	Budget	Actual	Budget	Budget	Forecast	Actual
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	%	\$	\$
OPERATING ACTIVITIES									
Revenue									
Governance	4	28,800	28,800	2,398	1	(2,397)	(100.0%)	28,800	25,720
General Purpose Funding	3	15,659,482	15,659,482	13,451,614	13,423,391	(28,223)	(0.2%)	15,659,482	15,525,481
Law, Order, Public Safety	5	474,905	474,905	4,816	5,720	904	18.8%	474,905	592,573
Health	7	2,150	2,150	178	1,331	1,153	647.8%	2,150	27,713
Education and Welfare	8	6,000	6,000	83	0	(83)	(100.0%)	6,000	7,205
Community Amenities	10	1,484,654	1,484,654	1,363,329	1,366,405	3,076	0.2%	1,484,654	1,526,710
Recreation and Culture	11	1,374,782	1,374,782	340,344	347,484	7,140	2.1%	1,374,782	2,439,027
Transport	12	396,841	396,841	142,866	122,030	(20,836)	(14.6%)	396,841	179,535
Economic Services	13	97,348	97,348	19,565	19,856	291	1.5%	97,348	93,080
Other Property and Services	14	173,800	173,800	14,480	24,871	10,391	71.8%	173,800	1,389,143
<b>Total Operating Revenue</b>	_	19,698,762	19,698,762	15,339,673	15,311,088	(28,585)	(0.2%)	19,698,762	21,806,187
Operating Expenses									
Governance	4	(1,210,103)	(1,210,103)	(150,786)	(112,777)	38,009	25.2% 🔺	(1,210,103)	(1,185,970)
General Purpose Funding	3	(511,688)	(511,688)	(54,115)	(34,021)	20,094	37.1%	(511,688)	(325,580)
Law, Order, Public Safety	5	(1,619,329)	(1,619,329)	(200,297)	(176,109)	24,188	12.1%	(1,619,329)	(1,725,784)
Health	7	(540,920)	(540,920)	(61,224)	(52,693)	8,531	13.9%	(540,920)	(547,432)
Education and Welfare	8	(784,183)	(784,183)	(96,906)	(114,620)	(17,714)	(18.3%)	(784,183)	(749,344)
Community Amenities	10	(2,845,397)	(2,845,397)	(180,797)	(132,624)	48,173	26.6% 🔺	(2,845,397)	(2,639,118)
Recreation & Culture	11	(7,597,856)	(7,597,856)	(719,501)	(657,932)	61,569	8.6% 🔺	(7,597,856)	(7,662,944)
Transport	12	(6,218,251)	(6,218,251)	(575,002)	(574,192)	810	0.1%	(6,218,251)	(5,862,564)
Economic Services	13	(513,473)	(513,473)	(57,768)	(40,737)	17,031	29.5%	(513,473)	(468,712)
Other Property and Services	14_	(233,368)	(233,368)	(133,553)	(25,384)	108,169	81.0%	(233,368)	(249,804)
<b>Total Operating Expenditure</b>	_	(22,074,568)	(22,074,568)	(2,229,949)	(1,921,090)	308,859	13.9%	(22,074,568)	(21,417,252)
Net Operating Activities		(2,375,806)	(2,375,806)	13,109,724	13,389,998	280,274	(2.1%)	(2,375,806)	388,935

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## Statement of Financial Activity by Program For the Period Ended 31 July 2020 (Covering 1 month or 8.3% of the year)

		2020/21 Adopted Budget \$	2020/21  Revised  Budget  \$	2020/21 Y-T-D Revised Budget \$	2020/21 Y-T-D Actual \$	Variance Y-T-D Y Actual to Revised Budget \$	Variance Y-T-D Actual to Revised Budget %	2020/21  Forecast	2019/20 Last Year Actual \$
Net Operating Activities (from previous page)		(2,375,806)	(2,375,806)	13,109,724	13,389,998	280,274	2.1%	(2,375,806)	388,935
ADJUSTMENTS OF NON CASH ITEMS									
(Profit)/Loss on Asset Disposals		0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	(1,111,201)
Accruals		0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	41,521
Movement in contract liabilities associated with		(2.240.040)	(2.240.040)				0.00/	(2.212.212)	
restricted cash		(2,310,010)	(2,310,010)	0	440.803	0 5	0.0%	(2,310,010)	E 102 7E2
Depreciation on Assets		5,289,647	5,289,647	440,798	440,803	5	0.0%	5,289,647	5,102,752
Adjusted Net Operating Activities	Α	603,831	603,831	13,550,522	13,830,801	280,279	2.1%	603,831	4,422,007
INVESTING ACTIVITIES									
Revenue									
Non-operating grants, subsidies & contributions		9,243,071	9,243,071	2,483,002	1,994,259	(488,743)	(19.7%)	9,243,071	2,504,599
Proceeds from Disposal of Assets  Total Capital Revenue		257,969 <b>9,501,040</b>	<u>257,969</u> - <b>9,501,040</b>	21,496 <b>2,504,498</b>	0 <b>1,994,259</b>	(==,,	(100.0%) (20.4%)	257,969 <b>9,501,040</b>	1,333,892 <b>3,838,491</b>
Total Capital Nevenue		3,301,040	3,301,040	2,304,430	1,554,255	(310,233)	(20.470)	3,301,040	3,030,431
Expenditure									
Land & Buildings		(5,430,586)	(5,430,586)	(452,541)	(17,154)	435,387	96.2% 🔺	(5,430,586)	(197,020)
Infrastructure Assets - Road / Bridges / Paths		(7,717,902)	(7,717,902)	(389,547)	(27,471)		92.9% 🔺	(7,717,903)	(3,071,491)
Infrastructure Assets - Parks & Gardens		(677,156)	(677,156)	(56,424)	(785)	55,639	98.6% 🔺	(677,156)	(428,239)
Vehicles		(940,438)	(940,438)	(78,369)	0	78,369	100.0%	(940,438)	(325,321)
Plant & Equipment		0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0
Furniture & Fittings		(112,993)	(112,993)	(9,413)	(377)	9,036	96.0%	(112,993)	(130,794)
Total Capital Expenditure		(14,879,075)	(14,879,075)	(986,294)	(45,788)	940,506	95.4%	(14,879,076)	(4,152,865)
Net Capital Activities	В	(5,378,035)	(5,378,035)	1,518,204	1,948,470	430,266	(28.3%)	(5,378,036)	(314,374)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES									
Revenue									
Proceeds from New Loans		750,000	750,000	0	0	0	0.0%	750,000	0
Self Supporting Loans - Principal Recoups		0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0
Transfers from Reserves		8,659,832	8,659,832	1,045,306	838,565		(19.8%)	8,659,832	3,166,697
Total Financing Revenue		9,409,832	9,409,832	1,045,306	838,565	(206,741)	19.8%	9,409,832	3,166,697
Expenditure									
Repayment of Loans		(250,116)	(250,116)	(50,487)	(20,391)	30,096	59.6% 🔺	(250,116)	(279,748)
Principal element of finance lease payments		(119,659)	(119,659)	0	(40,186)	(40,186)	0.0%	(119,659)	, , -,
Transfers to Reserves		(4,428,917)	(4,428,917)	0	(44,383)	(44,383)	100.0%	(4,428,917)	(7,017,280)
Total Financing Expenditure		(4,798,692)	(4,798,692)	(50,487)	(104,960)	(54,473)	(107.9%)	(4,798,692)	(7,297,028)
Net Financing Activities	С	4,611,140	4,611,140	994,819	733,604	(261,215)	26.3%	4,611,140	(4,130,331)
FUNDING SOURCES									
Surplus/(Deficit) July 1 B/Fwd	D	382,052	382,052	382,052	382,052		0.0%	382,052	404,751
CLOSING FUNDS (A+B+C+D)		218,987	218,987	16,445,597	16,894,928	449,331	(2.7%)	218,987	382,052

#### **KEY INFORMATION**

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

▲ indicates a positive impact on the surplus/deficit position. ▼ indicates a negative impact on the surplus/deficit position.

Refer to Note 2 for an explanation of the reasons for the variance.  $\label{eq:constraint}$ 

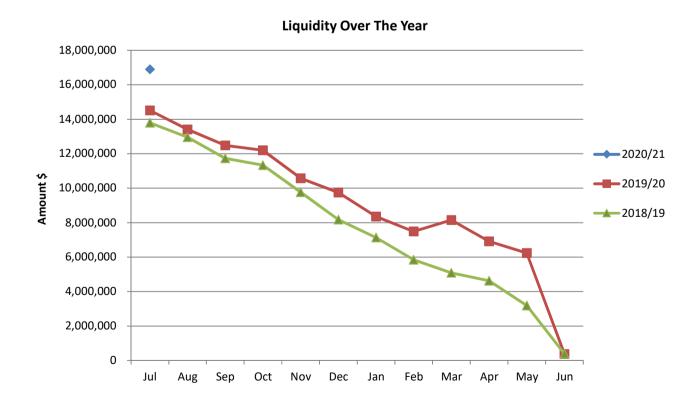
This statement to be read in conjunction with the accompanying Financial Statements and Notes



### Statement of Financial Activity by Program For the Period Ended 31 July 2020 NET CURRENT ASSETS

	Year to Date	Same Time Last Year	Last Year
Note	Actual	Actual	Closing
	31-Jul-2020	31-Jul-2019	30 June 2020
	\$		\$
Represented By:			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	23,940,467	17,469,961	25,553,736
Rates Debtors Outstanding	15,232,586	15,206,493	396,109
Pensioner Rates Rebate	20,643	11,079	5,998
Sundry Debtors	284,837	1,026,358	796,652
Accrued Revenue	59,534	75,299	39,231
Prepaid Expenses	0	0	C
Goods & Services Tax / BAS Refund	0	141,012	(
Other Receivables	0	0	C
Inventories - Materials	5,047	5,047	5,047
Inventories- Trading Stock - Recreation Centre	7,310	8,430	7,310
Current Assets	39,550,425	33,943,679	26,804,083
LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Payables:			
Sundry Creditors	(60,498)	(85,133)	(1,049,612
Goods & Services Tax / BAS Payable	(93,885)	0	(159,807
Other Payables	(686,777)	(699,481)	1,493
Municipal Bonded Liabilities	(798,232)	0	(792,262
Contract Liabilities	0	0	(1,950,000
Prepaid Revenue - Rates / PPL	(83,508)	(53,062)	(648,952)
Accrued Interest on Debentures	(33,404)	(37,523)	(33,404
Accrued Salaries & Wages	O	0	(96,114)
Other Accrued Expenses	0	0	` (
Borrowings - Debentures	(229,724)	(232,245)	(250,116
Provisions:	, , ,	, , ,	, ,
Staff Leave Provisions	(1,430,786)	(1,272,698)	(1,430,786
Current Liabilities	(3,416,814)	(2,380,142)	(6,409,560
Net Current Assets	36,133,610	31,563,537	20,394,524
Less: Restricted Assets / Reserve Funds 4	(19,468,406)	(16,451,356)	(20,262,588)
Add: Current - Borrowings	229,724	232,245	250,116
CLOSING FUNDS / NET CURRENT ASSETS (per previous page)	16,894,929	15,344,426	382,052

**NOTE:** Net current assets (liquidity) at 31 July is substantially higher compared to recent years due to the advance receipt of \$1.95M Western Australian Government grant for construction of the Eaton Bowling Club.





## Statement of Comprehensive Income by Nature or Type For the Period Ended 31 July 2020 (Covering 1 month or 8.3% of the year)

	2020/21	2020/21	2020/21 Y-T-D	2020/21 Y-T-D	Variance Y-T-D \ Actual to	Actual to	2020/21	2019/20 Last Year
	Adopted Budget	Revised Budget	Revised Budget	Actual	Revised Budget	Revised Budget	Forecast	Actual
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	%	\$	\$
Revenue								
Rates	13,839,284	13,839,284	13,760,318	13,737,706	(22,612)	0.2%	13,839,284	13,091,847
Grants, Subsidies & Contributions	2,680,137	2,680,137	158,351	154,483		2.4%	2,680,137	2,202,843
Fees and Charges	2,730,279	2,730,279	1,394,117	1,398,024		(0.3%)	2,730,279	3,112,535
Interest Earnings	420,971	420,971	26,887	20,876	,	22.4%	420,971	581,228
Other Revenue	28,091	28,091	0	. 0	,	0.0%	28,091	27,855
	19,698,762	19,698,762	15,339,673	15,311,088	(28,585)	0.2%	19,698,762	19,016,308
Expenses								
Employee Costs	(10,505,383)	(10,505,383)	(930,502)	(866,178)	64,324	6.9%	(10,505,383)	(9,793,985)
Materials and Contracts	(4,881,097)	(4,881,097)	(594,405)	(284,849)	,	52.1%	(4,881,097)	(4,049,538)
Utility Charges	(552,620)	(552,620)	(46,228)	(11,310)	34,918	75.5%	(552,620)	(551,434)
Depreciation on Non-current Assets	(5,289,647)	(5,289,647)	(440,798)	(440,803)	(5)	(0.0%)	(5,289,647)	(5,042,270)
Interest Expense	(97,965)	(97,965)	(28,555)	(18,537)	10,018	35.1%	(97,965)	(127,293)
Insurance	(310,774)	(310,774)	(135,705)	(234,447)	(98,742)	(72.8%)	(310,774)	(253,207)
Other	(403,066)	(403,066)	(50,876)	(64,967)	(14,091)	(27.7%)	(403,066)	(357,532)
	(22,040,552)	(22,040,552)	(2,227,069)	(1,921,090)	305,979	13.7%	(22,040,552)	(20,175,259)
Operational Surplus / (Deficit)	(2,341,790)	(2,341,790)	13,112,604	13,389,998	277,394	(2.1%)	(2,341,790)	(1,158,951)
Grants & Contributions for the Development of								
Assets	8,993,072	8,993,071	2,462,169	1,994,259	(467,910)	(19.0%)	8,993,071	1,874,654
Profit on Asset Disposals	0	0	0	0		#DIV/0!	0	15,093
Loss on Asset Disposals	0	0	0	0	0	(100.0%)	0	(33,963)
Fair Value Adjustment to Financial Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	70,068
•	8,993,072	8,993,071	2,462,169	1,994,259	(467,910)	19.0%	8,993,071	1,925,852
NET RESULT	6,651,282	6,651,281	15,574,773	15,384,257	(190,516)	1.2%	6,651,281	766,901
Other Comprehensive Income								
Changes on Revaluation of Non-Current Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	6,651,282	6,651,281	15,574,773	15,384,257	(190,516)	1.2%	6,651,281	766,901



### Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

#### 1. PROGRAMS / ACTIVITIES

In order to discharge its responsibilities to the community, the Shire has developed a set of operational and financial objectives. These objectives have been established both on an overall basis, reflected by the Shire's Community Vision and for each of its broad activities/programs.

#### **COMMUNITY VISION**

Provide effective leadership in encouraging balanced growth and development of the Shire while recognising the diverse needs of the community.

PROGRAM NAME	OBJECTIVE	ACTIVITIES
GENERAL PURPOSE FUNDING	To collect revenue to allow for the provision of services	Rates, general purpose government grants and interest revenue.
GOVERNANCE	To provide a decision making process for the efficient allocation of scarce resources.	Includes the activities of members of Council and the administration support available to Council for the provision of governance of the District. Other costs relate to the task of assisting elected members and ratepayers on matters which do not concern specific Council services.
LAW, ORDER, PUBLIC SAFETY	To provide services to help ensure a safer and environmentally conscious community.	Supervision and enforcement of various local-laws relating to the fire prevention, animal control and protection of the environment, and other aspects of public safety including emergency services.
HEALTH	To provide services to achieve community and environmental health.	Maternal and infant health facilities, immunisation, meat inspection services, inspection of food outlets, noise control and pest control services.
EDUCATION AND WELFARE	To provide services to children, youth, the elderly and disadvantaged persons.	Pre-school and other education services, child minding facilities, playgroups, senior citizens' centres.
COMMUNITY AMENITIES	To provide services required by the community.	Rubbish collection services, operation of refuse site, litter control, construction and maintenance of urban storm water drains, protection of the environment and administration of town planning schemes, cemeteries and public conveniences.
RECREATION AND CULTURE	To establish and effectively manage infrastructure and resources which help the social well being of the community.	Maintenance of halls, civic buildings, river banks, recreation centre and various sporting facilities. Provision and maintenance of parks, gardens and playgrounds. Operation of library and other cultural facilities.
TRANSPORT	To promote safe, effective and efficient transport services to the community.	Construction and maintenance of streets, roads, bridges, footpaths, cycle ways, parking facilities, traffic control and depot. Cleaning of streets and maintenance of street trees, street lighting, etc.
ECONOMIC SERVICES	To help promote the shire and its economic wellbeing.	Tourism and area promotion, building control, provision of rural services including weed control and vermin control, standpipes.
OTHER PROPERTY & SERVICES	To monitor and control Council's overheads operating accounts.	Private works operations, plant repairs and operations costs, engineering operation costs.



## Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

# 2. EXPLANATION OF MATERIAL VARIANCES IN THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY BY PROGRAM

The material variances adopted by the Shire of Dardanup for reporting in the 2020/21 year is 5% or \$25,000, whichever is the greater. All variances are between Year-to-Date Actual and Year-to-Date Revised Budget values.

	Sch	2020/21 Y-T-D Revised Budget	2020/21 Y-T-D Actual	Variance to Y-T-D Revised Budget	Variance to Y-T-D Revised Budget	Timing / Permanent	Material Variance - Explanation Where there is more than one significant item contributing to a reportable variance, only items in
OPERATING ACTIVITIES Revenue		<b>"</b>	v	v.	%		excess of \$5,000 are included in the explanation.
	4	2,398	н	(2,397)	(100.0%)		
General Purpose Funding	m	13,451,614	13,423,391	(28,223)	(0.2%)		
Law, Order, Public Safety	2	4,816	5,720	904	18.8%		
	7	178	1,331	1,153	647.8%		
Education and Welfare	∞	83	0	(83)	(100.0%)		
Community Amenities	10	1,363,329	1,366,405	3,076	0.2%		
Recreation and Culture	11	340,344	347,484	7,140	2.1%		
	12	142,866	122,030	(20,836)	(14.6%)		
Economic Services	13	19,565	19,856	291	1.5%		
Other Property and Services	14	14,480	24,871	10,391	71.8%		
Total Operating Revenue		15,339,673	15,311,088	(28,585)	(0.2%)		
Operating Expenses							
	4	(150,786)	(112,777)	38,009	25.2%	Timing	\$30,000 lowers costs to date for elected members and governamce operating costs, \$6,000 lower costs for consultants.
General Purpose Funding	m	(54,115)	(34,021)	20,094	37.1%		
Law. Order. Public Safety	2	(200.297)	(176.109)	24.188	12.1%		
	7	(61,224)	(52,693)	8,531	13.9%		
Education and Welfare	∞	(96,96)	(114,620)	(17.714)	(18.3%)		
Community Amenities	10	(180,797)	(132,624)	48,173	26.6%	Timing	Lower operating costs to date for waste management \$24,000 and town planning administration
	,					)	\$26,000   Supplied State to John For Fator Bossonia Contra \$20,000   Hundred \$20,000   Contra in the
Recreation & Culture	11	(719,501)	(657,932)	61,569	8.0%	liming	cower operating costs to date for Eaton Recreation Centre \$38,000, Libraries \$13,000, Community events & festivals \$10,000.
Transport	12	(575,002)	(574,192)	810	0.1%		
Other Brongety and Conject	T -	(37,708)	(40,737)	100,160	29.3%	Timin	I ower mildic works everyond some \$63,000 accorded was a contract allocated to works but not not
	+	(000,001)	(50,004)	00,001	20:10	9	baid \$50,000.
Total Operating Expenditure		(2,229,949)	(1,921,090)	308,859	(13.9%)		
Net Operating Activities		13,109,724	13,389,998	280,274	2.1%		
ADJUSTMENTS OF NON CASH ITEMS (Profit)/Loss on Asset Disposals		0	0	0	0.0%		
Depreciation on Assets		440,798	440,803	2	0.0%		
Adjusted Net Operating Activities		13,550,522	13,830,801	280,279	2.1%		

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## Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

# For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

2. EXPLANATION OF MATERIAL VARIANCES IN THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY BY PROGRAM (continued)

	2020/21 Y-T-D Revised Budget \$	2020/21 Y-T-D Actual \$	Variance to Y-T-D Revised Budget \$	Variance to Y-T-D Revised Budget %	Timing / Permanent	Material Variance - Explanation
Adjusted Net Operating Activities (from previous pa	13,550,522	13,830,801	280,279	2.1%		
INVESTING ACTIVITIES Revenue					,	
Non-operating grants, subsidies & contributions	2,483,002	1,994,259	(488,743)	(19.7%)	Timing	Grants not yet claimed for 2020/21 capital projects - Waterloo fire brigade shed, Eaton jetty upgrade, Regional Road Group, Roads to Recovery and State Black Spot program road projects.
Proceeds from Disposal of Assets	21,496	0		(100.0%)		
Total Capital Revenue	2,504,498	1,994,259	(510,239)	(20.4%)		
Expenditure						
Land & Buildings	(452,541)	(17,154)	435,387	96.2%	▲ Timing	Construction not commenced on 2020/21 building projects
Infrastructure Assets - Road / Bridges / Paths	(389,547)	(27,471)	362,076	95.9%	▲ Timing	No significant works carried out to date on road upgrade and renewal projects.
Infrastructure Assets - Parks & Gardens	(56,424)	(782)	55,639	%9.86	▲ Timing	No significant works to date on parks and reserve projects.
Vehicles	(78,369)	0	78,369	100.0%	▲ Timing	No vehicles purchased to date.
Plant & Equipment	0	0	0	%0:0		
Furniture & Fittings	(9,413)	(377)	9,036	%0.96		
Total Capital Expenditure	(986,294)	(45,788)	940,506	(95.4%)		
Net Capital Activities	1,518,204	1,948,470	430,266	28.3%		
FINANCING ACTIVITIES						
Revenue						
Proceeds from New Loans	0	0	0	%0.0		
Self Supporting Loans - Principal Reimbursement	0	0	0	%0:0		
Transfers from Reserves	1,045,306	838,565	(206,741)	(19.8%)	<b>▼</b> Timing	Lower amount of funds transferred from Unspent Grants Reserve (subject to completion of end-of- vear 2019/20 adiustments)
Total Financing Revenue	1,045,306	838,565	(206,741)	(19.8%)		
Expenditure						
Repayment of Loans	(50,487)	(20,391)	30,096	29.6%	▲ Timing	Loan repayment due at end of July - subsequently paid in early August
Transfers to Reserves	0	(44,383)	(44,383)	(100.0%)	Permanent	Developer contributions to works received in July from new subdivision approvals.
Total Financing Expenditure	(50,487)	(104,960)	(54,473)	107.9%		
Net Financing Activities	994,819	733,604	(261,215)	(26.3%)		
FUNDING SOURCES Surplus/(Deficit) July 1B/Fwd CLOSING FUNDS (A+B+C+D)	382,052 <b>16,445,597</b>	382,052 <b>16,894,928</b>	0 449,331	0.0%		



#### Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

#### 3. TRUST FUNDS

Funds held at reporting date over which the Shire has no control and which are not included in the financial statements are as follows:

NAME	BALANCE 1 JULY	RECEIPTS	INTEREST	PAYMENTS	ADJUSTMENTS (TRANSFERS)	CLOSING BALANCE
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Tourism WA for Ferguson Valley Project	172,736.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	172,736.03
Public Open Space	877,979.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	877,979.54
Accrued Interest	0.00	0.00	45.30	0.00	0.00	45.30
Plus: Outstanding Creditors	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Less: Outstanding Debtors	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	1,050,715.57	0.00	45.30	0.00	0.00	1,050,760.87

#### 4. CASH BACKED RESERVES

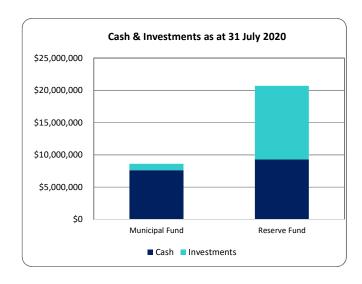
NAME	BALANCE	RECEIPTS	INTEREST	PAYMENTS	ADJUSTMENTS	CLOSING
	1 JULY				(TRANSFERS)	BALANCE
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Un-Restricted						
Executive & Compliance Vehicles Reserve	243,184.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	243,184.02
Plant & Engineering Equipment Reserve	924,036.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	924,036.04
Eaton Recreation Centre - Equipment Reserve	280,102.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	280,102.25
Building Maintenance Reserve	1,867,629.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,867,629.12
Employee Relief Reserve	234,383.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	234,383.81
Employee Leave Entitlements Reserve	21,186.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21,186.62
Refuse Site Environmental Works Reserve	83,833.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	83,833.42
Information Technology Reserve	811,265.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	811,265.49
Roadwork Construction & Major Maintenance Reserve	509,264.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	509,264.55
Accrued Salaries Reserve	433,352.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	433,352.06
Tourism Reserve	11,718.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,718.35
Recycling Education Reserve	61,264.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	61,264.57
Road Safety Programs Reserve	26,644.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	26,644.63
Council Land Development Reserve	21,057.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21,057.89
Carried Forward Projects Reserve	3,312,012.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,312,012.63
Election Expenses Reserve	7,017.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,017.23
Town Planning Consultancy Reserve	97,705.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	97,705.92
Parks & Reserves Upgrades Reserve	755,487.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	755,487.61
Strategic Planning Studies Reserve	128,885.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	128,885.07
Pathways Reserve	315,889.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	315,889.37
Asset / Rates Revaluation Reserve	328,666.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	328,666.34
Refuse & Recycling Bin Replacement Reserve	54,644.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	54,644.89
Sale of Land Reserve	4,566,488.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,566,488.23
Storm Water Reserve	157,848.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	157,848.01
	15,253,568.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15,253,568.12
Restricted						
Contribution to Works Reserve	670,642.44	22,120.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	692,762.44
Eaton Drive - Access Construction Reserve	154,824.78	10,406.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	165,230.83
Eaton Drive - Scheme Construction Reserve	914,153.40	7,993.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	922,147.05
Fire Control Reserve	11,535.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,535.50
Collie River (Eaton Drive) Bridge Construction Reserve	1,564,304.17	3,738.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,568,043.08
Unspent Grants Reserve	1,414,546.83	0.00	0.00	838,564.75	0.00	575,982.08
Swimming Pool Inspection Reserve	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unspent Specified Area Rate - Bulk Waste Collection Reserve	80,609.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	80,609.91
Unspent Specified Area Rate - Eaton Landscaping Reserve	157,196.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	157,196.20
Wanju Developer Contribution Plan Unspent Loan Reserve	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dardanup Expansion Developer Contribution Plan Reserve	41,206.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	41,206.57
	5,009,019.80	44,258.61	0.00	838,564.75	0.00	4,214,713.66
Interest	0.00	0.00	124.11	0.00	0.00	124.11
Less: Outstanding Debtors	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	20,262,587.92	44,258.61	124.11	838,564.75	0.00	19,468,405.89

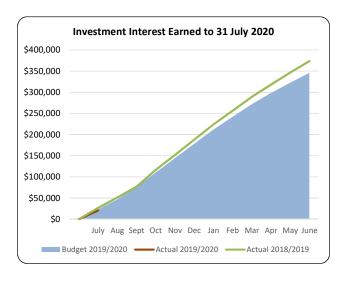


#### Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

#### 5. STATEMENT OF INVESTMENTS

BANK	ТҮРЕ		AMOUNT	RATE	DAYS	COMMENCEMENT	MATURITY	ESTIMATED INTEREST	INTEREST CREDITED 2019-2020
MUNICIPAL FUND	<u>!</u>								
CBA	Municipal Fund Bank Account	\$	7,621,121.99	0.40%				\$2,540.37	\$5,666.72
NAB	Term Deposit	\$	1,000,000.00	0.90%	92	6/2020	9/2020	\$2,280.09	\$5,110.19
		\$	8,621,121.99					\$4,820.46	\$10,776.91
TRUST FUND									
CDA	Trust Freed Deals Assessed	,	1 050 760 07					¢0.00	ć2 467 40
CBA	Trust Fund Bank Account	<u>\$</u>	1,050,760.87					\$0.00 \$0.00	\$2,467.49
		<u> </u>	1,050,760.87				:	\$0.00	\$2,467.49
RESERVE FUND									
CBA	Reserve Bank Acccount	\$	9,286,954.02					\$0.00	\$6,838.69
Westpac	Coupon Select Deposit (Tailored Deposit)	\$	5,000,000.00	2.94%	1098	8/2017	8/2020	\$455,244.76	\$147,402.73
AMP	Term Deposit	\$	1,900,000.00	1.80%	189	1/2020	8/2020	\$17,709.04	\$33,271.23
NAB	Term Deposit	\$	1,500,000.00	1.55%	180	2/2020	10/2020	\$11,465.75	\$0.00
NAB	Term Deposit	\$	1,000,000.00	0.86%	83	6/2020	9/2020	\$1,955.62	\$6,490.62
Macquarie	Term Deposit	\$	1,000,000.00	0.85%	91	6/2020	9/2020	\$2,119.18	\$4,378.08
Macquarie	Term Deposit	\$	1,000,000.00	0.85%	91	3/2020	6/2020	\$2,119.18	\$4,238.36
		\$	20,686,954.02					\$490,613.53	\$202,619.71
								_	
	Total Interest Received							_	\$215,864.11







#### Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

#### 5. STATEMENT OF INVESTMENTS (continued)

#### **Total Funds Invested**

Total Funds Invested as at Reporting Date -

Muncipal Fund Investment Portfolio Trust Fund Investment Portfolio Reserve Fund Investment Portfolio \$ 1,000,000.00

\$

\$ 11,400,000.00 \$ 12,400,000.00

#### Investment Policy - Portfolio Risk Exposure

Council's investment policy provides a framework to manage the risks associated with financial investments.

#### Portfolio - Terms of Maturity

Limits are placed on the term to maturity thereby reducing the impact of any significant change in interest rate markets and to provide liquidity.

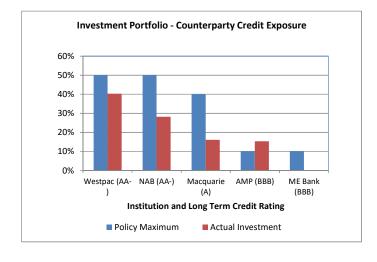
#### Counterparty Credit Exposure

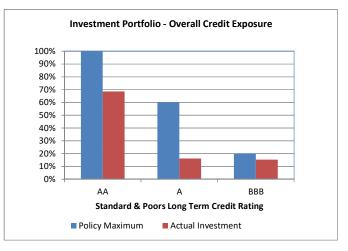
Exposure to an individual authorised deposit-taking institution (ADI) counterparty will be restricted by their credit rating so that single entity exposure is limited.

#### Overall Credit Exposure

To control the credit quality on the entire portfolio, limits are placed on the percentage exposed to any particular credit rating category.

The following charts demonstrate the current portfolio diversity and risk compliance with the policy framework.





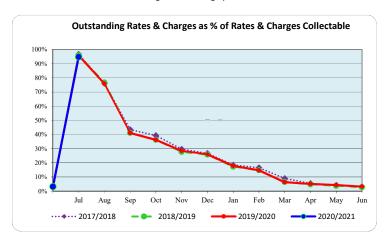


#### Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

#### 6. Accounts Receivable as at 31 July 2020

#### **Rates and Charges Outstanding**

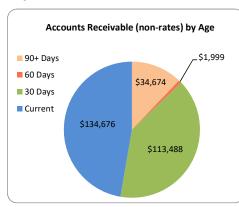
2020/21 annual rates were raised on 16 July 2020 and are due for payment by 10 September 2020. As at the reporting date, total outstanding rates and charges (including pensioner deferred rates) is \$15,350,704. This equates to 94.75% of rates and charges collectable and is at a similar ratio to recent years. It is the objective of management to achieve less than 4% of rates and charges outstanding by 30 June.

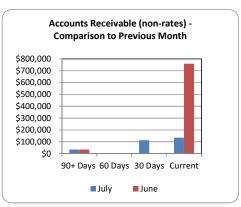


#### **Sundry Debtors Outstanding (non-rates)**

As at the reporting date, the total outstanding Sundry Debtors amount to \$284,837

\$228,616 of the balance relates to government grants and contributions and it is anticipated these will be paid by the end of August 2020.





#### 7. Salaries and Wages to 31 July 2020

At the reporting date, total salaries and wages expenditure is \$700,783 (7.56%) of the annual budget of \$9,273,727 for the 2020/21 financial year).



13,742,181

13,716,705

13,735,828

13,840,864

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# Shire of Dardanup Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

RATING INFORMATION

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**Total rates** 



# 9. INFORMATION ON BORROWINGS

Debenture Repayments

		Principal	New .	>	Principal	ipal	Interest	est	Principal	pal 
		Opening Balance 01 July 2020	Loans 2020/21	ns /21	Repayments 2020/21	nents /21	Repayments 2020/21	ents '21	Outstanding 30 June 2021	iding 2021
Particulars	Loan No.	₩	Actual \$	Adopted Budget \$	Actual \$	Adopted Budget \$	Actual \$	Adopted Budget \$	Actual \$	Adopted Budget \$
<b>Community Amenities</b> Wanju/Waterloo Industrial Park Developer Contribution Plans	New	0	0	750,000	0	0	0	0	0	750,000
Recreation and Culture Eaton Recreation Centre	29	280,690	0		0	(88,117)	0	(16,870)	280,690	192,573
Glen Huon Oval Club Rooms  Transport	69	965,470	0	0	(20,391)	(41,174)	(18,537)	(43,234)	945,079	924,296
Depot Land  Economic Services	99	503,104	0	0	0	(58,628)	0	(23,169)	503,104	444,476
Gravel Pit Land - Panizza Road  Other Property and Services	61	90,549	0	0	0	(23,901)	0	(5,805)	90,549	66,648
Administration Building Extensions	. 62	123,303	0	0	0	(38,296)	0	(8,887)	123,303	85,007
		1,963,116	0	750,000	750,000 (20,391) (250,116)	(250,116)	(18,537)	(62, 665)	1,942,725	2,463,000

All debenture repayments were financed by general purpose revenue.

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# Notes to the Statement of Financial Activity For the Period Ended 31 July 2020

# 10 BUDGET AMENDMENTS

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

						Revised
				Increase in		Budget
			Non Cash	Available	Available	Running
GL/JOB Code Description	Council Resolution	Classification	Adjustment	Cash		Balance
			\$	❖		φ.
Budget Adoption		Opening Surplus				218,987
Permanent Changes						
DFES Mitigation Activity Fund grant to reduce bushfire risk	29/07/20 - 212-20	Operating Revenue		246,440		465,427
Bushfire Risk management Plan - treatments to mitigate bushfire	29/07/20 - 212-20	Operating Expense			(246,440)	218,987

246,440 (246,440)

			RISI	RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL	ENT TOOL			
OVERALL RISK EVENT:		Failing to monitor the financial performance can increa: legislative requirement could result in a qualified audit.	ncial performaniuld result in a qu	ce can increase tralified audit.	Failing to monitor the financial performance can increase the risk of a negative impact on the Shire's financial position. Non-compliance with legislative requirement could result in a qualified audit.	's financial positic	on. Non-complia	ince with
RISK THEME PROFILE:								
3 - Failure to Fulfil	3 - Failure to Fulfil Compliance Requirements (Statutory, Regulatory)	Statutory, Regula	itory)					
RISK ASSESSMENT CONTEXT:	r CONTEXT: Operational	lal						
CONSECUENCE		PRIOR TO T	PRIOR TO TREATMENT OR	OR CONTROL	NV IG NOITO ASIG	AFTER TRE	AFTER TREATEMENT OR CONTROL	ONTROL
CATEGORY	RISK EVENT	CONSEQUENCE	ГІКЕПНООБ	INHERENT RISK RATING	(Treatment or controls proposed)	CONSEQUENCE	ПКЕЦНООВ	RESIDUAL RISK RATING
НЕАГТН	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
FINANCIAL IMPACT	Not monitoring ongoing financial performance would increase the risk of a negative impact on the financial position.	Moderate (3)	Unlikely (2)	Moderate (5 - 11)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	Non-compliance with the legislative requirements that results in a qualified audit.	Minor (2)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
REPUTATIONAL	Non-compliance that results in a qualified audit can lead stakeholders to question the Council's ability to manage finances effectively.	Insignificant (1)	Unlikely (2)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.



### MINUTES

# BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

Held

5 August 2020

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Shire of Dardanup
ADMINISTRATION CENTRE EATON
1 Council Drive - EATON

MINUTES OF THE BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING HELD 5 AUGUST 2020	(Appendix ORD: 12.12A)
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#### **VISION STATEMENT**

"Provide effective leadership in encouraging balanced growth and development of the Shire while recognizing the diverse needs of our communities."

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#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

Mr Richard Stacey - FCO Ferguson District Mr Chris Hynes - CBFCO Eaton Townsite District

Mr Neil Dyer - West Dardanup Mr Clay Rose - DCFCO (North) / FCO Burekup Mr Robert Drennan - FCO Waterloo District Mr Rod Bailey - FCO Upper Ferguson Mr Brendan Putt - FCO Dardanup Central Mr Peter Robinson - FCO Joshua/Crooked Brook Mr Ian Bridge FCO Wellington Mill District

Mr John Carter - Representative Department of Fire & Emergency Services Representative - Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions

Cr. T Gardiner **Elected Member** 

Cr. M T Bennett **Elected Member (Deputy)** 

#### **STAFF MEMBERS**

Mrs Erin Hutchins -Coordinator - Ranger & Emergency Services

Mr Murray Halden -Senior Ranger

Mrs Donna Bailye -Personal Assistant to Deputy Chief Executive Officer

#### **OBSERVER**

Mrs Susan Oosthuizen -**Director Sustainable Development** Ms Melissa Howard **Emergency Management Officer** 

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#### **SHIRE OF DARDANUP**

MINUTES OF THE SHIRE OF DARDANUP BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 5 AUGUST 2020, AT SHIRE OF DARDANUP - EATON ADMINISTRATION CENTRE, **COMMENCING AT 7.00PM.** 

#### **DECLARATION OF OPENING/ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS** 1

The Chairperson, Mr Peter Robinson, declared the meeting open at 7.04pm welcomed those in attendance and referred to the Disclaimer and the Affirmation of Civic Duty and Responsibility on behalf of Councillors and Officers:

Acknowledgement of Country

The Shire of Dardanup wishes to acknowledge that this meeting is being held on the traditional lands of the Noongar people. In doing this, we recognise and respect their continuing culture and the contribution they make to the life of this region by recognising the strength, resilience and capacity of Wardandi people in this land.

Affirmation of Civic Duty and Responsibility

Councillors and Officers of the Shire of Dardanup collectively declare that we will duly, faithfully, honestly and with integrity fulfil the duties of our respective office and positions for all the people in the district according to the best of our judgement and ability. We will observe the Shire's Code of Conduct and Standing Orders to ensure efficient, effective and orderly decision making within this forum.

Committee members acknowledge that only the Chief Executive Officer or a member of the Shire of Dardanup staff appointed by the Chief Executive Officer is to have contact with consultants and suppliers that are appointed under contract to undertake the development and implementation of projects.

The exception to this Policy is when there is a meeting of the committee or working group with the consultant and the Chief Executive Officer or the Chief Executive Officer's representative is present.

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In the event of an emergency, please follow the instructions of the Chairperson who will direct you to the safest exit route. Once outside, please proceed to the Assembly Area points located to the western side of the front office car park near the skate park and gazebo where we will meet (and complete a roll call).

#### RECORD OF ATTENDANCE/APOLOGIES/LEAVE OF ABSENCE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED 2.

#### 2.1 Attendance

Mr Chris Hynes **CBFCO Eaton Townsite District** 

Mr Clay Rose **FCO Burekup District** Mr Robert Drennan **FCO Waterloo District** Mr Peter Robinson FCO Joshua/Crooked Brook

Mr Keith Higham Captain - Wellington Mills District [Proxy]

Mr Neil Dyer West Dardanup

Mr Brendan Putt FCO Dardanup Central

Mr Doug Van Bavel Department of Fire & Emergency Services Mr Darren Harvey Department of Biodiversity, Conservation &

**Attractions** 

Cr Tyrrell Gardiner **Elected Member** 

Staff

Mrs Susan Oosthuizen -**Director Sustainable Development** 

Mrs Erin Hutchins Coordinator - Ranger & Emergency Services [7.07pm]

Senior Ranger Mr Murray Halden

Ms Melissa Howard **Emergency Management Officer** Mrs Donna Bailye PA Deputy Chief Executive Officer

**Observers** 

Ms Michelle Wells Department of Fire & Emergency Services

Mr Lyndon Skeers Captain Ferguson District

#### 2.2 **Apologies**

Mr Ian Bridge FCO Wellington Mill District Mr André Schönfeldt Chief Executive Officer

Mr John Carter Department of Fire & Emergency Services

FCO Upper Ferguson Mr Rod Bailey

#### 3. PETITIONS/DEPUTATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

None.

#### 4. **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

4.1 Bushfire Advisory Committee Meeting Held 11 March 2020

#### **BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION**

BFAC 02-20 MOVED -Mr Chris Hynes Mr Brendan Putt SECONDED -

> THAT the Minutes of the Bushfire Advisory Committee Meeting held on 11 March 2020, be confirmed as true and correct subject to no corrections:

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#### 5. ANNOUNCEMENTS OF MATTERS FOR WHICH MEETING MAY BE CLOSED

None.

#### 6. QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF WHICH DUE NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN

None.

#### **DECLARATION OF INTEREST** 7.

"Members should fill in Disclosure of Interest forms for items in which they have a financial, proximity or impartiality interest and forward these to the Presiding Member before the meeting commences."

#### Discussion:

The Chairperson, Mr Peter Robinson asked the Councillor and Committee if there were any Declarations of Interest to be made.

There were no Declarations of Interest made.

Note: Mrs Erin Hutchins joined the meeting at 7.07pm.

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#### 9 **REPORTS OF OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES**

9.1 Title: Chief Fire Control Officer (CFCO) Report – Chris Hynes

> Reporting Department: CFCO - Dardanup Reporting Officer: Chris Hynes

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

#### **Activity Report Since Last BFAC Meeting**

Fire Call Outs	
Appliance and Equipment	
Training	
Meetings Held	
Membership –	
Recruitment/Resignation	
Concerns	
Initiatives	Return to FCO's and Captains Meetings again.
Other News	<ul> <li>Group Call procedures 000 – I have provided copies to have handy for new people on the 000 group call line.</li> <li>000 calls to LIA's Harris Road and SW Highway near Condellos. Bunbury career FRS are first response to fires in the Shire of Dardanup LIA's. This has created problems with response to bushfires in these locations. DFES is working on a new response plan for these areas. I checked on the progress this week and it is still being worked on. I hope this will be ready for the next fire season</li> <li>Number 9 Keys. Please ensure your appliances have a key to access Shire locks on water points and reserves.</li> <li>I recently met with the other SW Chiefs to discuss aligning our Fire Restrictions and Prohibited dates to begin and end on the same dates and also plan to have any extension restricted or prohibited aligned as well. I have discussed this with Ranger Murray Halden and we have made changes to our fire notice to be ready for the alignment of dates with Capel, Harvey, Bunbury, Collie, Shire of Murray and Waroona will still aligned with Mandurah and Dwellingup.</li> <li>Radio audit of all radios is needed.</li> <li>1.4 Project is still progressing. I'm an observer on the evaluation panel.</li> </ul>

#### **Item/s For BFAC Discussion**

#### Discussion:

Mr Chris Hynes advised the Committee that a letter of thanks was received from the Police Department, thanking the brigade for its assistance in a fire matter in Australind that resulted in a conviction.

#### 9.2 Title: Department of Biodiversity, Conservation & Attractions – Officer Report

#### **Process**

Mr Darren Harvey tabled the following report at the meeting and spoke to the report.

#### 9.2.1 - Prescribed Burning Planned 2020/21

Wellington District 35 burns scheduled (approx. 73,839 ha). (NOTE. This includes the three cells of WTN\_082 Wellington Northeast - 29,590 ha).

Dardanup Shire 9 burns planned (Approx. 5,123 ha).

- WTN 069 Wellington Discovery Forest
- WTN\_084 Dongara Ridge
- WTN 092 Arcadia Wights Rd
- WTN 093 King Jarrah
- WTN\_099 WTN Discovery forest plots
- WTN 101 Mungalup
- WTN 103 Dardanup North
- WTN\_108 Twin Rivers
- WTN\_113 Arcadia Valkyrie Rd

CBFCO/ Shire will be sent notifications shortly for planned burns and Shire road reserves. Private property owners & other stakeholders within distance of planned burns due to receive notifications in September.

#### 9.2.2 - Bushfires 2020/21

No "official" bushfires recorded for the District this financial year.

#### 9.2.3 – District Fire Management Staff Contacts / Changes (Collie Office 9735 1988)

District Fire Coordinator: Jessica Newman.

Fire Operations Officer: Emma Atkinson - newly appointed.

Fire Operations Officer: Darren Harvey.

#### 9.3 Department of Fire & Emergency Services (DFES) – Mr John Carter

#### 9.3.1 Bushfire season

It was a relatively quiet latter part of the 2019/20 bushfire season with a number of small fires but no significant incidents. Thanks to all the BFB volunteers and Shire of Dardanup staff for their assistance over last bushfire season.

The South West of WA experienced a number of extreme weather systems in May which caused a fair amount of damage. The FES Commissioner placed a Total Fire Ban over the South West Land Division for the 23-24 May 2020. Unfortunately, there were still a number of private burns through the SW Region that escaped resulting in numerous callouts for the BFBs. The Shire of Dardanup had only two reported escapes from planned burns.

DFES encourages that the landholder advises Comcen of all planned burns regardless whether it occurs in the restricted or open seasons.

#### 9.3.2 Training

The 2020 Bushfire Service Training Program was placed on hold due to COVID-19 but has now recommenced. There are a couple of existing courses for new volunteers and plans are being made to complete the training of the Joshua Crooked Brook cadets.

DFES is running an Advanced Bushfire Fighting/Crew Leader course (12-13 September) which will be targeted at new and future leaders within BFBs.

Thank you to the West Dardanup BFB for the use of their station and Dardanup BFB volunteers for assisting with the practical exercises for the Introduction to Fire Fighting training held on the weekend of 6-7 June.

#### 9.3.3 COVID-19

Brigades are reminded of the necessity to maintain appropriate social distancing and maintain a high level of cleanliness while we are still in this period of the COVID-19 pandemic.

#### 9.3.4 **Burn SMART**

DFES' Bushfire Centre of Excellence has created a Burn SMART Guide and Burn SMART Checklist, with information for private landholders about planned burning, and actions to take before, during and after your burn. The Guide and Checklist apply to properties within the Swan Coastal Plain, Jarrah **Forest** Warren biogeographic region. Copies be downloaded or can www.dfes.wa.gov.au/plannedburning.

#### 9.3.5 Seasonal Outlook

BOM seasonal outlook is available at: http://www.bom.gov.au/climate/outlooks/#/overview/video. South West WA is likely to experience an average rainfall over winter with late winter/early Spring seeing an increase in rainfall over most of mainland Australia. Temperatures during the day and night are likely to be warmer.

#### 9.3.6 Title Changes

There historically has been some confusion with the DFES manager names which has led to the following:

- DO Murray will be: DO Wellington (Brett Finlay)
- AO Harvey Hills will be: AO Preston (John Carter)
- AO Bunbury will be: AO Forrest (Ian Joseph)

#### 9.3.7 **RUI** Exercise

A RUI Exercise is proposed to be held in the Crooked Brook area in September/October. It will be similar to the Wellington Mills exercise held in 2019. We may also hold a community engagement session as part of the RUI exercise.

#### 9.3.8 Leaders Exercise

It is planned to hold a desktop bushfire exercise for BFB leaders (FCOs, Capts.) prior to the 2020/21 bushfire season, like that held last year. The aim is to provide opportunities for the BFB leaders to practice managing a Level 1 incident.

#### 9.3.9 Pre-Season Forum

It is planned to hold an all of services forum in October/November with details to be confirmed.

#### 9.3.10 AVL

All holders of an AVL password will need to have changed their password after 13 July 2020. Please see Circular 50/2020 - AVL Security Upgrade.

#### 9.3.11 LT Remote Fuel System

A hazard was identified with the new remote fuel system on light tankers with petrol powered pumps. A fuel return line needs to be fitted. If one is not fitted on, appliance is to be taken off-line. Please see Safety Circular 06/2020 – Safety Hazard - Light Tanker Remote Fuel System.

#### Discussion:

Mr Doug Van Bavel spoke to the report.

The Committee discussed the proposed RUI exercise and the location of the proposed exercise.

The Committee discussed the education of land holders in regards to the burning process. It was identified that the Local Government Firebreak notice formed part of the mechanics for implementing this process. It was agreed that this item be discussed further in Item 9.16.6.

#### 9.4 <u>Title:</u> Burekup District Fire Control Officer Report – Mr Clay Rose

Reporting Department: Burekup BFB Reporting Officer: Clay Rose

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

#### **Activity Report Since Last BFAC Meeting**

Fire Call Outs	<ul> <li>26-4-20 car fire SW Highway.</li> <li>5-5-20 house flu fire Castieau Street.</li> <li>24-5-20 control paddock burn escape onto road verge.</li> </ul>
Appliance and Equipment	Nothing to report.
Training	None due to COVID 19.
Meetings Held	AGM held on 24-6-20.
Membership – Recruitment/Resignation	2 new members signed up & inducted at AGM.
Concerns	Members not following AVL testing procedures.
Initiatives	None.
Other News	<ul> <li>Attended ROAC in Pinjarra on 25-6-20 as Chief was attending a funeral.</li> <li>Meeting was live streaming from Bunbury SW District Office.</li> <li>Discussion items was a section 46 TFB issued May 22,23,24 warranted.</li> <li>DFES staff working on several TFB breaches over those dates. Any dollar penalty goes to LGA.</li> <li>Date to be advised for meeting to discuss changing restricted burning dates.</li> <li>Yordamung fire, pros &amp; cons of the use of the LAT.</li> <li>AVBFB rep spoke about CONEX 2020 is still on at the exhibition centre go to <a href="www.conex.au">www.conex.au</a> for info. AVBFB now have 2 full time staff. Alex &amp; Chenea.</li> <li>Both Collie &amp; Harvey Shire representatives thanked Dardanup Chief Chris Hynes for the huge amount of time &amp; effort he put into last season's fires.</li> <li>No lunch was supplied after the meeting, which was held at the DFES temporary Centre of Excellence Old Railway Station.</li> </ul>

#### **Item/s For BFAC Discussion**

#### Discussion:

Mr Clay Rose requested that Contractors engaged to carry out works at the Brigades ensure that the logs books are completed. Mr Murray Halden advised that this information would be passed onto contractors when accessing the stations.

9.5 <u>Dardanup Central District Fire Control Officer Report – Mr Brendan Putt</u> Title:

> Reporting Department: Dardanup Central BFB

Reporting Officer: Brendan Putt

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

#### **Activity Report Since Last BFAC Meeting**

Fire Call Outs	20 Call outs over the fire season period.
Appliance and Equipment	Appliance recently returned from Collie fire with all items fixed and serviced for next season.
Training	Had our first busy bee last week, now meeting first Wednesday of each month.
Meetings Held	AGM completed with great attendance, meeting with Shire CEO regarding new station progressing with a release for public comment to be soon.
Membership – Recruitment/Resignation	Reece Depiazzi and Daniel Runeckles completed Intro. Some interest in other courses from brigade members at a recent meeting.
Concerns	None.
Initiatives	Since the shutdown period, there is a need for getting together as a group, we are organizing another away trip (Camping) for members to start off the new season.
Other News	None.

#### **Item/s For BFAC Discussion**

#### Discussion

Mr Brendan Putt enquired about the availability of P2 masks for the brigades.

It was agreed that Mrs Melissa Howard would look into sourcing a supply of P2 masks, and if unavailable, source an alternative such as surgical masks and provide to the brigades.

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9.6 Title: Ferguson Fire Control Officer Report –Mr Richard Stacey

> Reporting Department: Ferguson BFB Reporting Officer: Richard Stacey

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

No Report.

9.7 Joshua Creek / Crooked Brook Fire Control Officer Report – Mr Peter Robinson

> Reporting Department: Joshua Creek / Crooked Brook BFB

Reporting Officer: Mr Peter Robinson

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

## **Activity Report Since Last BFAC Meeting**

Fire Call Outs	Nil.	
Appliance and Equipment	The LT went to Collie and was away a long time. Been returned with a very detailed service report.	
Training	Revised brigade calendar for the rest of 2020, every second Thursday of the month.	
Meetings Held	One committee meeting held to plan for the AGM. AGM saw a good turn out and a very happy and harmonious meeting.	
Membership – Recruitment/Resignation	Lynton has left and gone to live in Burekup. One new fire fighter soon to be trained.	
Concerns	Joshua Creek Road exit route. There could be an escape route through to Queenwood or Donnybrook if the Shire and PaWS can work together.	
Initiatives	We are planning a Ladies' information session to talk about fire behaviour and to look at how their properties are prepared. Some do not want to do the full Intro to Fire Fighting training so we are planning a simpler, more relevant activity.	
Other News	Cadets continuing very well. 6 + 1	

## **Item/s For BFAC Discussion**

1. We need a generator.

## Officer Comment – Mrs Erin Hutchins – Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services

The Shire has received notification of the Local Government Grant Scheme (LGGS) funding (Operational Grant) awarded for the 2020-2021. This includes submissions for the purchase of plant and equipment less than \$1500 per item. Melissa Howard will be in contact to provide successful brigades with purchase orders to enable the purchase of requested items, including the submission for a generator for Joshua-Crooked Brook.

2. Can we use our own "Traffic Controller" trained blokes for roadside burns?

## Officer Comment – Mrs Erin Hutchins – Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services

Currently, the Shire provides traffic management plans and relevant traffic controllers through a third party provider for roadside burns. Due to the nature and high risk of roadside burns, it is mandatory that traffic controllers are adequately trained and are properly insured. This can be guaranteed by utilising a third party provider and transfers the risk to that provider. It would not be recommended for brigade members to provide traffic management and retain the risk.

3. Brigade Constitution and Bushfire Local Law.

Officer Comment – Mrs Erin Hutchins – Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services

Please refer to Item 9.16 - Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services Report – Mrs Erin Hutchins.

9.8 Title: Upper Ferguson District Fire Control Officer Report – Mr Rod Bailey

> Reporting Department: **Upper Ferguson**

Reporting Officer: Rod Bailey

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

# **Activity Report Since Last BFAC Meeting**

Fire Call Outs	7 Callouts this fire season.
Appliance and Equipment	Appliance working well due for service soon.
Training	Ongoing in house training.
Meetings Held	General meeting.
Membership –	Nil.
Recruitment/Resignation	
Concerns	None.
Initiatives	More training, Brigade members worked very well during callouts.
Other News	None.

# **Item/s For BFAC Discussion**

## Discussion

Mr Chris Hynes advised the Committee that Mr Rod Bailey would be stepping down from his role as FCO next year.

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9.9 Waterloo District Fire Control Officer Report -Mr Rob Drennan

> Reporting Department: Waterloo BFB Reporting Officer: Mr Rob Drennan

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

## **Activity Report Since Last BFAC Meeting**

Fire Call Outs	4 Callouts in this period. Consisting of a total of 20 crew positions and 15 hours on the fire ground.
Appliance and Equipment	Nil.
Training	We are planning to do some Sunday training with the appliances with drafting of water from dams and drains.
Meetings Held	AGM.
Membership – Recruitment/Resignation	Nil.
Concerns	Picton-East Hydrant maintenance. Two hydrants visited by Waterloo BFB are no longer serviceable due to being full of sand.
Initiatives	Nil.
Other News	Waterloo BFB new home (shed) is great to see it all moving ahead. Still a long way to go but thank you to the Shire and its dedicated staff and all that they are doing for the brigade.

## **Item/s For BFAC Discussion**

## Discussion

Mr Rob Drennan provided the Committee with an update on the new Waterloo BFB "shed" and acknowledged and commended the Shire and staff working on the project.

9.10 Title: Wellington Mill District Fire Control Officer Report –Mr Ian Bridge

> Reporting Department: Wellington Mill BFB

Reporting Officer: Ian Bridge

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

# **Activity Report Since Last BFAC Meeting**

Fire Call Outs	Pile Road – Ferguson		
Appliance and Equipment	<ul> <li>1.4 is currently in for Service.</li> <li>Inspection should report leaking branch valves.</li> <li>Blown exhaust on Pump motor.</li> <li>Pump down on pressure.</li> </ul>		
Training	<ul> <li>Two new member applications have been approved and waiting for them to do their training.</li> <li>DFES have offered to do radio refresher at our station closer to the start of the fire season.</li> <li>Our training officer is trying to arrange some Advanced Bushfire training and crew leader training for our two new Lieutenants before the next season.</li> </ul>		
Meetings Held	<ul> <li>We ceased brigade committee meetings due to COVID-19.</li> <li>We have conducted our AGM and held our elections. The minutes and nomination forms have been provided to the Shire.</li> <li>Awaiting ratification of our new committee before we conduct our next meeting.</li> </ul>		
Membership – Recruitment/Resignation	We have applications from 2 new members.		
Concerns	Subsequent to the media announcement regarding Volunteers being banned from contacting politicians to discuss Fire Service issues, I expect that we will get resignations from members.		
Initiatives	None.		
Other News	In the next month we will be purchasing cotton polo shirts for our brigade members.  We are currently sourcing an appropriate sun protection hat which would also be used as brigade ID at an Incident Control Point.  Issued 31 Permits to burn during the restricted burn season.		

## **Item/s For BFAC Discussion**

1. Our brigade management has identified that a utility vehicle (kept in our station) would be a valuable piece of equipment to assist with a range of uses, including crew change transfers, set up of transfer pump at water point. Another important use of the vehicle is to gather information of the incident by conducting a situation report (SITREP).

Can the Shire and DFES assist us in our effort to raise funds for the purchase of a roadworthy vehicle and ongoing registration and insurance?

## Officer Comment – Mrs Erin Hutchins – Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services

The Shire relies on its allocation from the Local Government Grant Scheme (LGGS) each year to financially support each brigade. The purchase of a utility vehicle, including ongoing costs such as servicing and maintenance, fuel and insurance sit outside the LGGS and classified as ineligible. The Shire is not in a positon to cover any Bushfire Brigade costs outside of the LGGS, therefore is unable to assist with the purchase of a roadworthy vehicle and ongoing registration and insurance.

2. Brigade Membership and the update of memberships.

## Officer Comment – Mrs Erin Hutchins – Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services

Part 2 - Objects and Membership of Bush Fire Brigade, section 2.7 of the Brigade Local Law states:

#### 2.7 Termination of membership

- 1. *Membership of the bush fire brigade terminates if the member –* 

  - gives written notice of resignation to the Secretary;
  - is, in the opinion of the Committee, permanently incapacitated by mental or physical illhealth:
  - d. is dismissed by the Committee; or
  - e. ceases to be a member or is taken to have resigned under subclause (2)
- 2. A brigade member whose membership fees are more than one year in arrears is to be taken to have resigned from the bush fire brigade.

Similarly section 2.8 of the Bushfire Brigade Constitution states:

## 2.8 Termination of membership

*Membership of the bush fire brigade terminates if the member –* 

- gives written notice of resignation to the Secretary; or
- is dismissed by the Committee.

The Brigade is to provide the Shire with a report of the name, contact details and type of membership annually to ensure records remain up to date.

## Discussion:

Mr Keith Higham spoke to the report and advised that there were 6 new members.

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#### 9.11 Title: West Dardanup District Fire Control Officer Report

Reporting Department: West Dardanup Bush Fire Brigade

Reporting Officer:

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

No Report.

## Discussion

Mr Neil Dyer advised the Committee that the Captain and an FCO had resigned, with replacements being made, together with proposed recruiting from the area. Membership for the brigade is stable.

#### 9.12 Title: Endorsement of Bushfire Control Officers (FCOs)

The election of all Bushfire Control Officers (FCOs) falls under Section 38 of the Bush Fires Act 1954.

Once the Fire Control Officers have been elected and formally endorsed by Council they will be publically advertised in accordance with Section 38(2A) of the Bush Fires Act 1954.

The following officers have been nominated by their brigades as FCO's and now need to be endorsed by the Bushfire Advisory Committee: -

## Chairperson Comment -

The Ferguson Bush Fire Brigade nomination for FCO has not been completed prior to the Bush Fire Advisory Committee meeting, therefore the Bushfire Advisory Committee recommends that Mr Richard Stacey be nominated as FCO for the Ferguson District Bush Fire Brigade.

## **BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION**

BFAC 03-20 SECONDED -Mr Rob Drennan MOVED -Mr Clay Rose

> THAT the Bushfire Advisory Committee recommend that Council endorse the following persons as Bushfire Control Officers for the period 30/06/2020 -01/07/2021 pursuant to Section 38(1) of the Bush Fires Act 1954 and the persons to be advertised pursuant to Section 38(2a) of the Bush Fires Act 1954 : -

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DISTRICT	OFFICER
Burekup District	Clay Rose
Dardanup Central District	Brendan Putt
Eaton Townsite/District	Chris Hynes
Ferguson District	Richard Stacey
Joshua/Crooked Brook District	Peter Robinson
Upper Ferguson District	Rodney Bailey
Waterloo District	Robert Drennan
Wellington Mills District	Ian Bridge
West Dardanup District	Neil Dyer

**CARRIED** 9/0

## 9.13 Title: Election of Chief Bushfire Control Officer

Nominations are to be called for the position of Chief Bushfire Control Officer.

## **BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION**

BFAC 04 -20 MOVED - Mr Peter Robinson SECONDED - Mr Clay Rose

THAT the Bushfire Advisory Committee recommend that Council endorse the following person as Chief Bushfire Control Officer for the period 30/06/2020 – 01/07/2021:

• Mr Chris Hynes

CARRIED 9/0

## 9.14 <u>Title: Election of Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer – (North)</u>

Nominations are to be called for the position of Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer (North).

## **BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION**

BFAC 05-20 MOVED - Mr Chris Hynes SECONDED - Mr Brendan Putt

THAT the Bushfire Advisory Committee recommend that Council endorse the following person as Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer (North) for the period 30/06/2020 - 01/07/2021:

Mr Clay Rose

CARRIED 9/0

# 9.15 <u>Title: Election of Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer – (South)</u>

Nominations are to be called for the position of Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer (South).

The positions of Chief Fire Control Officer, Deputy FCO and FCO's once endorsed by Council will be included on the Fire Prevention Notice.

## **BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION**

BFAC 06-20 MOVED - Mr Chris Hynes SECONDED - Mr Richard Stacey

THAT the Bushfire Advisory Committee recommend that Council endorse the following person as Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer (South) for the period 30/06/2020 - 01/07/2021:

• Mr Rob Drennan

## Discussion

It was acknowledged that a letter of thanks had been forwarded to Mr Allan Charlton from the Chief Executive Officer Mr André Schönfeldt and the Committee requested that a letter of thanks be forwarded by the Bush Fire Advisory Committee Chairperson to Mr Allan Charlton acknowledging his service to the brigades through his role as FCO for West Dardanup and Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Office (South). The Bush Fire Advisory Committee resolved the following:

## **BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION**

BFAC 07-20 MOVED -Mr Brendan Putt SECONDED -Mr Rob Drennan

> THAT the Bushfire Advisory Committee forwarded a letter of appreciation to Mr Alan Charlton, thanking him for his service to the Committee and acknowledging his role as FCO West Dardanup Brigade and Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officer (South).

> > CARRIED 9/0

9.16 <u>Title: Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services Report – Mrs Erin Hutchins</u>

> Reporting Department: Shire of Dardanup

Reporting Officer: Mrs Erin Hutchins – Coordinator Emergency & Ranger

Services

## 9.16.1 Coronavirus (COVID-19)

We have all recently been dealing with the challenges of COVID-19 and adapting to a new way of operating and living our lives. The Shire wishes to acknowledge and thank the brigades for their cooperation in adhering to the Directions set by the State and helping to minimise the spread.

## **Information Only**

## 9.16.2 Emergency Management Officer

Miss Melissa Howard has been appointed the position of Emergency Management Officer with the Shire. The position is a vast and exciting role and incorporates Emergency Management, Bushfire Risk Management and assistance for our Volunteer Bushfire Brigades. Melissa's rostered days are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday with a need to incorporate work from all areas into the day. Please continue to email any requests through to the brigade mailbox brigade@dardanup.wa.gov.au and Melissa will address matters as soon as practicable.

## **Information Only**

## Discussion

Mrs Melissa Howard addressed the committee to advise she is available to help.

## 9.16.3 Bushfire Brigade Local Law

The Shire of Dardanup Bush Fire Brigade Local Law was adopted by Council on the 8 August 2003 [Resolution 118/03] with a subsequent amendment being adopted 13 February 2008 [Resolution 27/08]. Currently this sits outside the requirements of s3.16 of the Local Government Act 1995 where a review is to be conducted within 8 years from the day each Local Law commenced, or from when a report of a review of the Local Law was accepted.

A review is required due to the changing needs and circumstances of the brigades and is intended to be responsive to local requirements and provide clarity on the roles and responsibilities of the brigades, their committee of management and other positons of leadership. The Constitution was introduced to provide a formal method for determining a Fire Control Officer (FCO), as well as outlining their roles and responsibilities. This will be now captured in the Brigade Local Law. It is intended that once a full review has been completed of the Bush Fire Brigade Local Law, the Constitution will no longer be in effect.

## **Information Only**

## 9.16.4 Appliances and Equipment Servicing

All appliances have either been serviced or are scheduled to be serviced by South West Fire for the 2020/21 period. Thank you for your assistance and making yourself available for vehicle changeovers.

## **Information Only**

## Discussion

Mr Rob Drennan advised that the recent servicing did not include the replacement of tyres on the vehicles. The Committee agreed that the replacement of tyres would be done as one job and the Shire would investigate costings through its procurement process.

## 9.16.5 Local Government Grant Scheme (LGGS)

The application for 2020/21 Local Government Grants Scheme (LGGS) funding was compiled and forwarded to the Capital Grants Committee in Perth on the 27 March 2020.

The Shire wishes to acknowledge Brigade members who contributed towards the application and Melissa Howard (Emergency Management Officer) for compiling the application on behalf of the Shire of Dardanup and Volunteer Bush Fire Brigades.

The Shire has received notification of the LGGS operational funding awarded for the 2020/21. The following Local Government Grants Scheme 2020/21 budget figures are provided for information purposes only.

Budget	
Line Item 1-8 Operating Grant	\$155,000.00
Line Item 9	\$3,971.00
Additional State Government 2020/21 Insurance Allowance	\$9,864.00
ESL – Total Gross Operating Grant	\$168,835.00
Less Expenditure	
ESL - Insurance	
ESL – Total Expenditure	
Funds Remaining as at July 2020	\$168,835.00

Capital Grants (to be determined - currently sitting with Capital Grants Committee)

Brigade	Description	Funding	
Dardanup Central BFB	New facility	<b>TBC</b> \$329,325.00	
Ferguson BFB	Toilets	<b>TBC</b> \$48,620.00	
	TOTAL	TBC \$377,945.00	

## **Approved Carryovers**

Brigade	Description	Funding
Waterloo BFB	2 appliance bay facility & amenities including furniture fit out.	\$393,909.00
	TOTAL	\$393,909.00

## **Information Only**

## Discussion

Mrs Erin Hutchins to confirm the information in regards to the Toilets provided for in the recent **Capital Grants** 

## 9.16.6 Fire Prevention Order Review

In recent months Mr Murray Halden has been working in conjunction with Fire Control Officers (FCOs) to review the Shires Fire Prevention Order. Please find attached a draft Fire Prevention Order agreed to by FCOs for the Committee's endorsement. (Appendix BFAC 9.16.6) Additions and amendments to the document have been highlighted and marked in red.

The Shire will be applying a fresh new approach to educating the community on its requirements as outlined in the Fire Prevention Order. Previous attempts to hold community meetings and events, as well as providing copies of the Order have not shown to be successful. The Shire will still ensure compliance with Section 33(1) of the Bushfire Act 1954 which states:

"...shall give notice to all owners or occupiers of land in its district by publishing a notice in the Government Gazette and in a newspaper circulating in the area requiring him or them as the case may be within a time specified in the notice to do or to commence to do at a time so specified all or any of the following things.."

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## Discussion:

Mrs Erin Hutchins advised the Committee on the new process to be adopted by the Shire for distribution of the 2020/21 Fire Notice to the community.

It was agreed that copies of the new card would be printed and distributed to the brigades for distribution and use by its FCO's.

It was requested that information be forwarded to the local newsletters, ie Dardanup Times for reporting through the relevant publications and the Shire of Dardanup provide information through its social media; - website, Facebook.

The Committee discussed the Fire Prevention Order and following discussions, the following corrections were made:

- Diagram used in GENERAL FARMING, RESTRICTED USE AND TOURIST ZONES\* to replace diagram in **SMALL HOLDINGS ZONE** to ensure diagrams are the same so as to provide more clarity.
- The following correction (as provided below) to be made in GENERAL FARMING, RESTRICTED USE AND TOURIST ZONES
  - Burn piles can be kept and are approved under the following conditions:
    - a burn pile is to be no closer than <del>10</del> 20 metres to any structure; and
    - a 2 metre wide and 4 metre in height firebreak is to be placed around the perimeter of any burn pile.
  - Burn piles can be kept and are approved under the following conditions:
  - A burn pile is to be no closer than 20 metres from any structure.
- Fire Management Plans to be referred to as Bush Fire Management Plans.
- The following information to be inserted in WHERE AND HOW TO OBTAIN BURNING **PERMITS**

To minimise the use of resources on unnecessary call outs, burns conducted outside the restricted burning period are encouraged to be registered with the Department of Fire & Emergency Service (DFES) Communications Centre on 9395 9209, immediately prior to commencing the burn.

## **BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION**

BFAC 08 -20 MOVED -Mr Richard Stacey SECONDED -Mr Rob Drennan

> THAT the Bushfire Advisory Committee recommend that Council adopt and advertise the 2020/21 Shire of Dardanup Fire Prevention Order pursuant to Section 33(1) of the Bush Fires Act 1954.



## **FIRE PREVENTION ORDER**

## **FIRST AND FINAL NOTICE**

With reference to Section 33 of the Bush Fires Act 1954, you are required to carry out fire prevention work on land owned or occupied by you, in accordance with the provisions of this order.

This order is valid for the period 1 July – 30 June <u>annually</u>.

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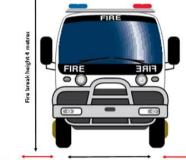
- All flammable material/vegetation (except living trees) MUST be slashed or grazed to a height that does not exceed 100 millimetres.
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 20 metre asset protection zone.

- Where slashing is not possible, material/vegetation must be burnt back or sprayed with a suitable herbicide to prevent growth <u>throughout the entire restricted and</u> prohibited burning periods.
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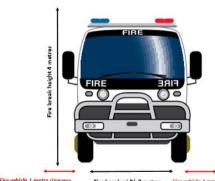
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Minimum clearance for fire break in general farming, restricted use and tourist zones

## GENERAL FARMING, RESTRICTED USE AND TOURIST ZONES\*

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- Non Irrigated lots a 4 metre in width and 4 metre in height vehicle access track that MUST include a 2 metre wide BARE EARTH firebreak must be installed within 6 metres of the lot boundary where it adjoins a road and/or rail reserve



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## **PLANTATIONS**

- BARE EARTH firebreaks of 15 metres in width and 4 metres in height must be maintained inside and along all boundaries of a plantation with 6-10 metre wide internal firebreaks between compartments.
- Where power lines pass through plantation areas, firebreaks must be in accordance with Western Power specifications.

## WHERE AND HOW TO OBTAIN BURNING PERMITS

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All Other Areas in Shire of Dardanup: Pursuant to section 24G(2) and section 25(1a) of the Bush Fires Act 1954, the burning of garden refuse and camp and cooking fires is prohibited in all areas within the Shire of Dardanup during the **Prohibited Burning Period**. Furthermore, pursuant to section 24G(2) the burning of garden refuse and camp and cooking fires are prohibited within the Shire of Dardanup during the **Restricted Burning Period unless a permit to burn has first been obtained** from a Fire Control Officer.

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- running water is on site and is accessible;
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- the fire is completely extinguished when cooking is complete.

## FIREBREAK VARIATIONS/EXEMPTIONS

If it is considered impractical for any reason to clear firebreaks or remove flammable materials from any land as required by this Order, you are required to make written application to the Shire of Dardanup no later than 30 September each year and include a plan of your land detailing your fire prevention measures to abate fire hazards. Prescribed Firebreak Variation/Exemption Forms are available from the Shire of Dardanup offices or by visiting the Shire of Dardanup website. If your request for a variation/exemption is not granted, you must comply with the requirements of this Order.

## **DEFINITIONS**

For the purpose of this notice the following definitions apply:

## ASSET PROTECTION ZONE (APZ)

Asset protection zones must be a minimum of 20 metres. An asset protection zone is a low fuel area immediately surround a building and is designed to minimise the likelihood of flame contact with buildings and the effect of radiant heat. It is important to maintain the asset protection zones and from flammable material. If there are large trees in the asset protection zone, consideration of having the trees pruned by a professional contactor. There should be no trees overhanging buildings or assess within the asset protection zone.

## **BUSH FIRE MANAGEMENT PLANS**

A "Bush Fire Management Plan" means a plan that has been developed and approved by the Shire of Dardanup to reduce and mitigate fire hazards within a subdivision, lot or other area of land within the district. Where the property has an approved Bush Fire Management Plan, compliance MUST be achieved in accordance with the conditions stipulated in the Bush Fire Management Plan, in addition to the requirement of this notice.

## IRRIGATED LAND

Irrigated land is defined as land that is watered, kept fully watered and is maintained in an on flammable state for the whole of the restricted and prohibited burning periods.

## **FIREBREAK**

A firebreak is an area of land that has been cleared to all trees, bushes, grasses and any other object or thing which may be flammable, leaving a surface of bare mineral earth. Firebreaks must be constructed inside and along the property boundary. Firebreaks provide safer access to land owners and fire appliances to conduct fire suppression activities.

## **PLANTATION**

An area of planted pines, eucalypt, hardwood or softwood tress exceeding three (3) hectares in area.

## **AUTHORISED OFFICER**

A person appointed by the Shire of Dardanup as a Bush Fire Control Officer.

For further information please call the Shire of Dardanup 9724 0000 or your local Fire Control Officer.

For all fire emergencies, please dial



## Would you like to become involved in a volunteer bush fire brigade?

Why not join a Shire of Dardanup Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade and learn how to prevent fires and be trained in firefighting!

Male and Female volunteers are very welcome.

There are many dimensions to being a volunteer bush fire brigade member, as all are encouraged to choose the type of activities that best suit their capabilities and interest.

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If you are interested in being a volunteer bush fire fighter please contact the Shire of Dardanup Emergency Management Officer 9724 0347 or email <a href="mailto:briagde@dardanup.wa.gov.au">briagde@dardanup.wa.gov.au</a>.

> **CARRIED** 9/0

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## 10. **ELECTED MEMBER MOTIONS OF WHICH PREVIOUS NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN**

None.

#### 11. **NEW BUSINESS OF AN URGENT NATURE**

None.

## **12**. **MATTERS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS**

None.

#### 13. **CLOSURE OF MEETING.**

The Chairperson advised that the date of the next Bush Fire Advisory Committee Meeting will be Wednesday 14 October 2020, commencing at 7.00 pm at the Shire of Dardanup - Administration Centre Eaton.

There being no further business the Chairperson declared the meeting closed at 8.34pm.



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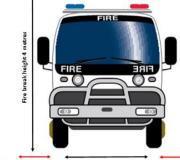
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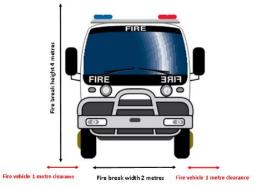


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- the fire is completely extinguished when cooking is complete.

## **FIREBREAK VARIATIONS/EXEMPTIONS**

If it is considered impractical for any reason to clear firebreaks or remove flammable materials from any land as required by this Order, you are required to make written application to the Shire of Dardanup no later than 30 September each year and include a plan of your land detailing your fire prevention measures to abate fire hazards. Prescribed Firebreak Variation/Exemption Forms are available from the Shire of Dardanup offices or by visiting the Shire of Dardanup website. If your request for a variation/exemption is not granted, you must comply with the requirements of this Order.

## **DEFINITIONS**

For the purpose of this notice the following definitions apply:

## **ASSET PROTECTION ZONE (APZ)**

Asset protection zones must be a minimum of 20 metres. An asset protection zone is a low fuel area immediately surround a building and is designed to minimise the likelihood of flame contact with buildings and the effect of radiant heat. It is important to maintain the asset protection zones and from flammable material. If there are large trees in the asset protection zone,

consideration of having the trees pruned by a professional contactor. There should be no trees overhanging buildings or assess within the asset protection zone.

## **BUSH FIRE MANAGEMENT PLANS**

A "Bush Fire Management Plan" means a plan that has been developed and approved by the Shire of Dardanup to reduce and mitigate fire hazards within a subdivision, lot or other area of land within the district. Where the property has an approved Bush Fire Management Plan, compliance **MUST** be achieved in accordance with the conditions stipulated in the Bush Fire Management Plan, in addition to the requirement of this notice.

## **IRRIGATED LAND**

Irrigated land is defined as land that is watered, kept fully watered and is maintained in an on flammable state for the whole of the restricted and prohibited burning periods.

## **FIREBREAK**

A firebreak is an area of land that has been cleared to all trees, bushes, grasses and any other object or thing which may be flammable, leaving a surface of bare mineral earth. Firebreaks must be constructed inside and along the property boundary. Firebreaks provide safer access to land owners and fire appliances to conduct fire suppression activities.

## **PLANTATION**

An area of planted pines, eucalypt, hardwood or softwood tress exceeding three (3) hectares in area.

## **AUTHORISED OFFICER**

A person appointed by the Shire of Dardanup as a Bush Fire Control Officer.

For further information please call the Shire of Dardanup 9724 0000 or your local Fire Control Officer.

For all fire emergencies, please dial



# Would you like to become involved in a volunteer bush fire brigade?

Why not join a Shire of Dardanup Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade and learn how to prevent fires and be trained in firefighting!

Male and Female volunteers are very welcome.

There are many dimensions to being a volunteer bush fire brigade member, as all are encouraged to choose the type of activities that best suit their capabilities and interest.

Being a volunteer is a rewarding experience. It is an opportunity to meet new people, learn new skills and provide assistance in protecting your community. Respecting others, working together as a team and acting with honesty and integrity are the values embraced by members.

If you are interested in being a volunteer bush fire fighter please contact the Shire of Dardanup Emergency Management Officer 9724 0347 or email <a href="mailto:briagde@dardanup.wa.gov.au">briagde@dardanup.wa.gov.au</a>.



# MINUTES

# LOCAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Held

12 August 2020

Αt

Shire of Dardanup
ADMINISTRATION CENTRE EATON
1 Council Drive - EATON

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## **Committee Members:**

- Cr. M T Bennett Elected Member Chairperson
- Cr. P Perks Elected Member
- Cr. S Gillespie Elected Member
- Coordinator Emergency & Ranger Services Staff
- Representative WA Police (Deputy Chairperson)
- Representative Department of Communities
- Representative Department of Agriculture & Food WA
- Representative Department of Biodiversity, Conservation & Attractions
- Representative Department of Health
- Representative Main Roads WA
- Representative Department of Fire & Emergency Services Fire
- Representative Department of Fire & Emergency Services Natural Hazards
- Representative Public Transport Authority
- Representative Water Corporation
- Representative Western Power
- Representative Aqwest
- Representative St Johns Ambulance WA
- Representative Telstra Australia
- Representative Australian Railroad Group
- Representative ATCO Gas
- Observer District Emergency Management Advisor SW Office of Emergency Management (OEM)

**COUNCIL ROLE** 

Advocacy When Council advocates on its own behalf or on behalf of its

community to another level of government / body /agency.

Executive/Strategic The substantial direction setting and oversight role of the Council eg.

Adopting plans and reports, accepting tenders, directing operations,

setting and amending budgets.

Legislative Includes adopting local laws, town planning schemes and policies.

Review When Council reviews decisions made by Officers.

Quasi-Judicial When Council determines an application/matter that directly affects a

person's rights and interests. The Judicial character arises from the

obligations to abide by the principles of natural justice.

Examples of Quasi-Judicial authority include town planning applications, building licences, applications for other permits/licences (eg: under Health Act, Dog Act or Local Laws) and other decisions that may be

appealable to the State Administrative Tribunal.

## **DISCLAIMER**

"Any statement, comment or decision made at a Council or Committee meeting regarding any application for an approval, consent or licence, including a resolution of approval, is not effective as an approval of any application and must not be relied upon as such.

Any person or entity that has an application before the Shire must obtain, and should only rely on, written notice of the Shire's decision and any conditions attaching to the decision, and cannot treat as an approval anything said or done at a Council or Committee meeting.

Any advice provided by an employee of the Shire on the operation of a written law, or the performance of a function by the Shire, is provided in the capacity of an employee, and to the best of that person's knowledge and ability. It does not constitute, and should not be relied upon, as a legal advice or representation by the Shire. Any advice on a matter of law, or anything sought to be relied upon as a representation by the Shire should be sought in writing and should make clear the purpose of the request."

## **SHIRE OF DARDANUP**

MINUTES OF THE SHIRE OF DARDANUP LOCAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 12 AUGUST 2020, AT SHIRE OF DARDANUP - EATON ADMINISTRATION CENTRE AT 10.00AM.

## **DECLARATION OF OPENING/ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS**

The Chairperson, Cr. M T Bennett declared the meeting open at 10.00am, welcomed those in attendance and referred to the Disclaimer, Acknowledgement of Country, Emergency Procedure and the Affirmation of Civic Duty and Responsibility on behalf of Councillors and Officers:

## Acknowledgement of Country

The Shire of Dardanup wishes to acknowledge that this meeting is being held on the traditional lands of the Noongar people. In doing this, we recognise and respect their continuing culture and the contribution they make to the life of this region by recognising the strength, resilience and capacity of Wardandi people in this land.

Affirmation of Civic Duty and Responsibility

Councillors and Officers of the Shire of Dardanup collectively declare that we will duly, faithfully, honestly and with integrity fulfil the duties of our respective office and positions for all the people in the district according to the best of our judgement and ability. We will observe the Shire's Code of Conduct and Standing Orders to ensure efficient, effective and orderly decision making within this forum.

Committee members acknowledge that only the Chief Executive Officer or a member of the Shire of Dardanup staff appointed by the Chief Executive Officer is to have contact with consultants and suppliers that are appointed under contract to undertake the development and implementation of projects.

The exception to this Policy is when there is a meeting of the committee or working group with the consultant and the Chief Executive Officer or the Chief Executive Officer's representative is present.

Members of committees acknowledge that a breach of this Policy may result in a request to Council to have them removed from the committee.

## **Emergency Procedure**

In the event of an emergency, please follow the instructions of the Chairperson who will direct you to the safest exit route. Once outside, please proceed to the Assembly Area points located to the western side of the front office car park near the skate park and gazebo where we will meet (and complete a roll call).

## 2. RECORD OF ATTENDANCE/APOLOGIES/LEAVE OF ABSENCE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED

## 2.1 Attendance

Cr Michael Bennett Shire President (Chairperson)

Senior Sgt Paul Williams **Australind Police** 

Mr Vik Cheema Department of Fire & Emergency Services

Mr Daryn Rowland A/District Officer Emergency Management, DFES

Ms Roma Boucher **Department of Communities** 

Department of Fire and Emergency Services Mr John Carter Mr Darren Harvey Department of Biodiversity, Conservation

Attractions

Ms Emma Atkinson Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and

Attractions

#### 2.2 Observer

Ms Susan Oosthuizen **Director Sustainable Development** 

Mrs Erin Hutchins Coordinator – Emergency & Ranger Services

Mr Luke Botica Director Infrastructure

Mrs Gaylene Godfrey PA - Director Sustainable Development

Ms Melissa Howard **Emergency Management Officer** 

## 2.2 **Apologies**

Cr Stacey Gillespie **Elected Member** Cr Patricia Perks **Elected Member** 

Mr Peter Stewart District Officer Emergency Management, DFES

Mr Paul Sanderson **Eaton Lions Club** Mr Peter Buckley Water Corporation Mr Dave Smith Main Roads WA Senior Sgt Mark Smith **Australind Police** Ms Nicky Waite **Water Corporation** 

#### 3. PETITIONS/DEPUTATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

None.

## 4. **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

4.1 Local Emergency Management Committee Meeting Held 13 May 2020

# OFFICER RECOMMENDED RESOLUTION & LOCAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

LEM 03-20 MOVED -A/Snr Sgt Paul Williams Cr M Bennett SECONDED -

> THAT the Minutes of the Local Emergency Management Committee Meeting held on 13 May 2020, were confirmed as true and correct.

> > **CARRIED**

#### 5. ANNOUNCEMENTS OF MATTERS FOR WHICH MEETING MAY BE CLOSED

None.

## 6. QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF WHICH DUE NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN

None.

#### 7. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

## Discussion:

The Chairperson asked all those present if there were any Declarations of Interest to be made.

There were no Declarations of Interest made.

## REPORTS FROM OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS

#### 8.1 Title: Update Report from Shire of Dardanup

Reporting Department: Sustainable Development Directorate

Mrs Erin Hutchins - Coordinator Emergency & Reporting Officer:

Ranger Services

Legislation: Local Government Act 1995

Emergency Management Act 2005

## **Acronyms & Terms**

There have been no amendments or additions to the emergency management list of acronyms or terms.

## Confirmation of LEMA Contact Details and Key Stakeholders

The Shire of Dardanup LEMA contact and key stakeholder details are due for review. It is requested that any changes to contact and key stakeholders details are notified to the Shire of Dardanup via email emergency@dardanup.wa.gov.au. A final electronic copy will be provided to members upon completion of the review.

## Committee Membership & Resources

There are no new membership requests at this time.

## Status of Local Emergency Management (Recovery) Arrangements (LEMA)

The Shire of Dardanup LEMA was adopted by Council at its Ordinary Council meeting held 1 April 2016. A full review will occur in 2021.

## Exercises that Tested the LEMA

As per the new State Emergency Management Exercise Framework, from 2020 local governments are required to develop an exercise schedule, to enable them to progressively plan exercises over a three year period.

The framework recommends that local governments and agencies exercise in a single agency capacity in the first year of the cycle to identify, practice and refine capabilities within their own agencies. In the second year it is recommended that agencies exercise their capabilities in a multi-agency environment and in the third year agencies plan an exercise demonstrating how they will operationalise their capabilities during a state-level emergency.

To assist local governments through this process, the Exercise Framework Project Team have created a WA Managing Exercises Guideline and Templates to develop, manage and report on EM exercises in a consistent way. In addition, a WA Managing Exercises online course has been created and is now available.

The Shire will use existing sources of data, such as but not limited to the Annual and Preparedness Report Capability Survey report, to conduct their capability analysis in the seven areas outlined in the SEMC capability framework being;

- Governance;
- Emergency response;
- Resources:

- Community Involvement;
- Planning and Mitigation;
- Impact Management and Recovery; and
- Analysis and Continuous Improvement.

Once the analysis and proposed exercise schedule has been prepared, it will be brought to an upcoming LEMC for endorsement.

Sub-Committees or Working Groups Nil to report.

Projects Undertaken Nil to report.

Key Achievements Nil to report.

Local Training Needs or Opportunities Nil to report.

## **Funding Opportunities**

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the State Government, through Lotterywest, has allocated all profits of the Lottery (up to \$159 million) directly into the newly created COVID-19 Relief Fund.

This Fund will assist the Western Australian community through COVID-19 and respond to the impacts of the crisis on individual and community wellbeing through targeted and impactful community grants.

In 2020-21, the Fund includes three grant programs:

- Supporting the Most Vulnerable applications are now open
  - o Crisis and Emergency Relief; and
  - o Prevention and Early Intervention.
- Building Community expressions of interest are now open
  - o Community Connection;
  - Arts and Culture;
  - Aboriginal Communities; and
  - o Environment
- Strengthening and Adapting Organisation coming soon
  - o Organisational Capability and Governance
  - o Innovative Service Model; and
  - Sector Collaboration.

The Shire is workshopping ideas and opportunities to consider which grants are suitable to apply for to support our community.

*Incident Support Group Activations/ Incidents* Nil to report.

## Recovery - COVID-19

In a letter dated 29 June 2020 to André Schönfeldt – CEO Shire of Dardanup, Sharyn O'Neil -State Recovery Controller, clarified local government's role in recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic. She reiterates that given the scale of the impact of COVID-19 and the extended nature of recovery efforts, recovery is most appropriately coordinated at a State rather than a local level. However, every local government plays a key role in recovery, particularly as they are Page 180 the closest touch points to the community. Moving forward, the Shires role in recovery will be to:

- 1. Collect and provide local impacts to the State Recovery Coordinator to inform recovery planning and implementation -
  - At the request of the State, the Shire recently completed a survey that captured impacts, initiatives, risks, opportunities and emerging risks. The DFES State Recovery has analysed the data and documented it in the District Impact Statement (Appendix LEMC: 8.1A and Appendix LEMC: 8.1B).
- 2. Align local recovery plans to the State Recovery Plan where required to ensure consistency The State Recovery Plan is yet to be released. The Shire recently spoke with Suzanne Blyth — Manager Recovery Emergency Management who advised that the latest advice from the State Recovery Controller is that it would be made available in late July.
- 3. Build on the strong work already undertaken by local governments in:
  - Reviewing or adopting financial hardship policies to support ratepayers to provide rate, fee and tenancy relief to businesses and individuals in distress -

At the OCM 27 May 2020, Council adopted CP098 COVID-19 Financial Hardship Policy for Rates and Sundry Debtors to assist and support the community to meet the financial challenges arising from the pandemic. Further, the Shire applied a 0% increase to rates and fees and charges for 2020-21 as well as reimbursing 100% of paid building insurance to lessees with no further insurance payable until further notice (Shire owned buildings). Council also waived its 2020/21 Health Inspection Fee for small businesses. The Shire made available "Quick Response Business Grants" of up to \$2,500 to help support eligible small businesses operating within the Shire of Dardanup with the cost of things like marketing or new equipment.

Reviving community services, sports and recreation to promote wellbeing and enable the community to resume active, connected lives in a COVID-safe manner –

Throughout the pandemic, the Shire continued to provide much needed services to the community in an adapted form. The Library became mobile and offered home delivery and workshops and programs, including for fitness, were made available online. These initiatives were well received by our community. As we return back to face services, the Shire continues to be quided by community needs and is taking the necessary steps and precautions to operate in a COVID Safe Environment.

Supporting arts, culture, events and tourism activities and content in local areas and helping these industries to innovate to operate in the future –

The Shire continues to support and promote community events and activities throughout the Shire.

d. Accelerating small capital works projects to provide vital employment channels and use local materials, contractors and labour services to support vulnerable parts of the workforce -

MINUTES OF THE LOCAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD (Appendix ORD: 12.13)

The Shire has brought forward a number of large and small planned projects to meet the needs of our community and help stimulate the economy such as:

- i. Eaton Civic Precinct Development
- ii. Eaton Community Hub
- iii. Dardanup Civic Precinct Revitalisation
- Wells Recreation Centre Upgrade (Dardanup) iv.
- Eaton Junior Football Club Pavilion and Eaton Hall Upgrades ν.
- vi. **Burekup Pavilion**
- vii. Gnomesville Public Toilets & Carpark Upgrades
- viii. Eaton Drive Major Distributor Upgrades

The proposed 9 projects are expected to support **391** full-time equivalent (FTE) jobs through the construction phase and are estimated to create 113.7 ongoing FTE jobs at the completion of these projects.

## Further proposed projects are;

- i. Burekup Parking Bay (Russell Road)
- Murdoch Crescent/Margaret Circle Pathway ii.
- iii. Eagle Crescent Pathway/Duck Pond Pathway
- iv. Leicester Reserve Wetlands/Watson Reserve Pathway Resurfacing
- Ferguson Road Pathway ν.
- Clarke Street, Crampton Road, Shier Reserve Path vi.
- Peppermint Way Pathway vii.
- Streamlining or fast tracking approvals processes and relieving compliance burdens on businesses and households where possible to stimulate local economic activity –

From the beginning the Shire initiated and applied a flexible approach to planning applications and compliance deadlines. Once introduced, the Shire ensures compliance with the amendments to WA planning legislation - "Clause 78H Notice of Exemption from Planning Requirements During State of Emergency Clause 78H(6)(a) Amended Notice".

Monitor recovery progress and report any emerging issues and key actions taken at the local level to the State Recovery Coordinator to inform quarterly reporting to the State Recovery Steering Committee -

The Shire will continue to advise the State of any emerging issues and key actions taken at the local level by way of responding to surveys, through the District Emergency Management Advisor – Vik Cheema directly and through the Local Emergency Management Committee (LEMC).

## Emergency Risk Management Processes/Treatment Strategies

The Shire has been successful in its application for Mitigation Activity Funding (MAF) of \$492,880.00 (exclusive of GST) to continue mitigation activities to identified areas at risk of bushfire in Shire reserves throughout the 2020-2021 financial year. The offer was endorsed by Council on Wednesday 29 July 2020. The Agreement has now been signed and submitted to DFES.

- Post Incident / Exercise Reports Nil to report.
- Completion of Annual and Preparedness Report Capability Survey

The State Emergency Management Committee (SEMC) has provided the Shire of Dardanup with a summary of our local governments emergency management capability based on our response to the Annual and Preparedness Report Capability Survey in 2018 and 2019 (Appendix LEMC: 8.1C and Appendix LEMC: 8.1D).

The report highlights where the Shire reported highest capability such as;

- Evacuation/Welfare Centre;
- Impact Assessments;
- Finance and Administration.

As well as areas for improvement such as;

- Sustained Recovery:
- Infrastructure Protection;
- **Essential Services Protection.**

The information is useful for a variety of purposes, such as facilitating EM planning, informing EM exercising in line with the State Exercise Framework requirements, supporting internal business cases, highlighting areas of success, and informing Local Emergency Management Arrangements (LEMA). In addition, the report will assist the Shire in identifying areas for improvement, and to guide its strategies, priorities and actions.

Due to the significant impact from COVID-19, the Emergency Preparedness Report Steering Committee have determined not to release the Annual and Preparedness Report Capability Survey for 2020. It is expected that the 2021 survey will go ahead in April next year.

## Local Emergency Management Committee Business Plan

The State Emergency Management Committee (SEMC) has identified the need to review and update the Business Plan template completed by LEMCs and DEMCs annually, in line with their Strategic Plan. Once the new template becomes available, the 2020-2021 LEMC Business Plan will be prepared and presented to the Committee for endorsement.

## State Emergency Management Committee (SEMC)

The State Emergency Management (EM) Policy and Plan have been amended to facilitate the State Government approved whole of government approach to Western Australia's recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic. The amendments were approved by the SEMC on 21 July 2020 (SEMC Resolution Number 42/2020).

The SEMC approved the inclusion of the below statement as an Appendix (AA) to both the State EM Policy and Plan:

## APPENDIX AA: COVID-19 RECOVERY

- 1. The following five sections of the State Emergency Management Framework are amended such that they do not apply for a period of 12 months retrospectively from the 15 July 2020 for recovery activities undertaken by the pandemic caused by virus COVID-19:
  - i. State Emergency Management Policy 6.2 Role of Controlling Agency
  - ii. State Emergency Management Plan 6.4 Commencement of Recovery
  - iii. State Emergency Management Plan 6.4.1 Impact Statement

- iv. State Emergency Management Plan 6.5 Role of Local Government in Recovery v. State Emergency Management Plan 6.8 State Level Recovery Plan
- 2. These five sections continue to apply for all other emergencies.

In addition to the above amendments, the SEMC recently approved (SEMC Resolution Number 40/2020) a revised State Support Plan - Emergency Welfare (Interim). It is acknowledged that further work and consultation will be undertaken on the Plan following the competition of the Department of Communities emergency services review.

The fundamental principles of the Plan remain unchanged, the main alterations include:

- Naming of the State Welfare Incident Coordination Centre.
- Re-designation of the Department of Communities, Emergency Services Coordinator to the Welfare Emergency Controller.
- Further details regarding scope and responsibilities pertaining to emergency food provision.
- New roles and responsibilities and process flow of activation of the AUSRECPLAN.
- Delegation capacities of the State Welfare Coordinator and Welfare Emergency Controller and emphasis towards scale-ability.
- Other minor expansions of explanation of scope, roles and responsibilities and statement of fact changes.

All documents are now available on the SEMC Website State EM Policy State EM Plan State Support Plan - Emergency Welfare.

Seasonal review – fire season preparedness

Refer DFES report if applicable.

Seasonal review – storm season preparedness

Refer DFES report if applicable.

#### 8.2 Title: Agency Reports – Various

Reporting Department: **Various** 

Reporting Officer: **Various** 

Legislation: Local Government Act 1995

Emergency Management Act 2005

(In the interest of time efficiency report to be accepted as presented, not read aloud at the meeting)

#### **Background**

Each agency is invited to provide the meeting with a report of their activities for the benefit of the committee.

#### Office of Emergency Management - Vik Cheema

#### **Policy Updates**

The State Emergency Management (EM) Policy and Plan have been amended to facilitate the State Government approved whole of government approach to Western Australia's recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic. The amendments were approved by the SEMC on 21 July 2020 (SEMC Resolution Number 42/2020).

The inclusion of appendix AA in State Emergency Management Policy and Plan permits the State Recovery Controller to continue leading the whole of government approach to Western Australia's recovery from COVID-19, whilst removing the responsibility of the HMA/Controlling Agency and Local Governments recovery functions as prescribed in the State Emergency Management Framework. The implemented changes are a consequence from a Ministerial direction issued to the SEMC, which fundamentally is a result from a Cabinet decision. Local Governments will continue to collate data and monitor progress for COVID-19 recovery activities at the request of the State Recovery Controller.

As outlined by Erin, the SEMC approved the inclusion of the below statement as an Appendix (AA) to both the State EM Policy and Plan.

#### WA Recovery Plan COVID-19

WA government has launched a \$5.5 billion WA Recovery Plan with the vision for Western Australia to get back on the road to becoming a thriving and innovative community in which to live, work, visit and do business. Central to the plan is restoring business and consumer confidence, getting people back into work and rebuilding the economy.

The plan is set around 21 priority streams, ranging from new technologies, local manufacturing and training through to tourism, patient care and the environment. Within each stream is a range of initiatives that may include capital works, grants, programs and projects.

This plan also outlines the commitments in the priority streams for those areas and people most impacted by the pandemic - regional WA, remote Aboriginal communities, women and young people.

For further details please check <a href="https://www.wa.gov.au/government/wa-recovery">https://www.wa.gov.au/government/wa-recovery</a>

#### SEMC Strategic Plan 2020-2023

A new SEMC strategic plan for 2020-2023 is currently progressing for approval from the WA state government and it will be released shortly.

The previous State Emergency Management Committee (SEMC) Strategic Plan was published in August 2017. It set the strategic direction in a context far different from the one in which the SEMC and the broader emergency management environment operate in today.

The past three years have seen vast changes in emergency management across Australia. The significant impacts of the recent and unprecedented national bushfire and cyclone seasons and the COVID-19 pandemic have tested existing emergency management frameworks.

While the full extent of these emergencies will take some time to be realised, the proposed Strategic Plan will reflect a renewed foundation for the WA emergency management sector to build a better prepared, more resilient and saferState.

#### **District – South West**

The South West emergency management stakeholders including local government zone representatives, have been actively engaged in the COVID-19 Operational Area Support Group meetings. The last COVID-19 OASG held on 28 July. WA is currently in Phase 4 of COVID-19 restrictions. Based on the latest health advice, Phase 5 of the WA COVID-19 roadmap, due to be implemented on Saturday, 1 August, has been delayed. The new tentative date will now be Saturday, 15 August. The final decision on whether Phase 5 can proceed is yet to be decided. For latest updates, please check https://www.wa.gov.au/organisation/department-of-thepremier-and-cabinet/covid-19-coronavirus-latest-updates

Planning is underway to facilitate the next SW DEMC meeting (TBC). Additional planning is required to conduct regional level preparedness workshops for the upcoming fire season and DEMA SW is planning to facilitate EM overview, recovery, exercise and lesson management framework. The preparedness workshop will be facilitated for the LEMC Executive Officer, local government recovery coordinators and key EM stakeholders.

#### Local

- Correspondence from SEMC Chair to the local government CEO, strongly encourages emergency management meetings and business as usual activities, such as risk workshops, consultation and emergency management arrangement development, to resume.
- Letter received from the State Recovery Coordinator to the local government CEO, thanking for the ongoing contribution towards the State's recovery from the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
- A copy of the COVID-19 South West District Impact Statement was emailed to the local government CEOs and Recovery Coordinators.
- The COVID-19 State Recovery Plan has been published: https://www.wa.gov.au/government/publications/wa-recovery-plan
- There is funding available to support recovery activities.
- Meetings between the 12 local government recovery coordinators is parked for the meantime until it is clearer what is required moving on.
- There is 10 weeks until the next bushfire season. This is the time to discuss opportunities for exercises in preparation for the upcoming season.
- NDRP and AWARE funding will be made available shortly and will offer the opportunity to receive funds from a pool of a couple of million dollars. When available Vik will communicate to Erin. An invitation to all CEOs to attend future OASG meetings has been considered. SWALGA have previously nominated three CEOs, however an invitation to CEOs will be sent out in the near future.

#### **Department of Communities - Roma Boucher**

1. The Department has been busy with planning and arrangements in support of activation of the State Hazard Plan Human Biosecurity and State Emergency Welfare Plan (SEWP) with the following activities:

- SW OASG meetings with HMA, Dept of Health and DEMC agencies on Tuesdays @ 10am (commenced weekly, then monthly and moving forward, anticipate going back to fortnightly during the current period);
- Fortnightly SW Recovery Group Meetings, convened by Vik Cheema, District Advisor, SW LG's and various agencies on every 2nd Thursday @ 2pm - postponed until the State Recovery plan was released;
- Fortnightly (previously weekly) ES Unit meeting with DC Director of Emergency Services, unit staff and DESOs;
- There has been much work being done by Metro DESOs at Perth airport, isolation stations and setting up the COVID Helpline call centre. Some work in the Goldfields and Kimberley with border closures and people required to complete isolation/quarantine.
- Variety of phone calls re SW LG issues transient travellers, homelessness, welfare issues etc.
- Earlier work identifying accommodation facilities and food supply in the SW.
- 2. During the last quarter, I have on some occasions worked with other agencies to arrange accommodation, food supply and welfare support for people requiring quarantine in the South West. This work has presented some interesting issues and I suspect most people aren't aware people do quarantine in the local District.
- 3. Recently there have been two items released by the SEMC
  - WA State Recovery Plan for CoVid-19; and
  - Advice regarding the amendments to sections of the State Emergency Management Framework and a revised State Support Plan – Emergency Welfare (interim)

The Dept of Communities boundaries now align with the South West Development Commission and DFES boundaries.

#### Discussion:

Mr Vik Cheema advised that community planning for evacuation is currently being looked at. Evacuation plans sit with the asset owner - sites such as nursing homes and the vulnerable within the community, need to be planned for. It is recommended that a list of plans sit within the local emergency arrangements. Vik confirmed that information will be provided to Erin, together with templates. Funding will made available to assist with this process.

#### Department of Fire & Emergency Services - Daryn Rowland

#### COVID-19 Update

Phase 4 of the WA Government's COVID-19 roadmap has come into effect. This saw most of the restrictions removed in Western Australia, although the two-square-metre rule has remained in place, and major venues are restricted to 50 per cent capacity. Phase 5 has been delayed with a new tentative date of 15 August due to current situation on eastern seaboard.

While the DFES Facilities and Vehicle Cleaning Guidelines for COVID-19 will remain in place, the Incident Response Team have authorised the removal of additional facility sanitisation from 1 July 2020. Normal facility, fleet and equipment cleaning regimes should continue, as should personal hygiene practices.

#### Seasonal Outlook

The BOM have released their seasonal outlook for August to October. Access to this forecast is available via this link - <a href="http://www.bom.gov.au/climate/outlooks/#/overview/video">http://www.bom.gov.au/climate/outlooks/#/overview/video</a>

Wetter than average three month period for Mid to Lower west coast of WA

- Less chance in NW of WA
- Warmer than average days & nights in NW of WA

#### \$6 Million to Assist Local Governments Reduce Bushfire Risk

Twenty-one local governments across Western Australia have been granted a total of \$6.05 million in State Government assistance to help reduce bushfire risks in their communities.

Under the first round of the 2020-21 Mitigation Activity Fund (MAF) Grants Program, 612 mitigation activities will be carried out on Crown lands that are managed by local government and deemed to be at high risk of bushfire.

Local Government	Allocated Amount	Number of Treatments
City of Bunbury	\$302,868.00	42
Shire of Collie	\$131,235.00	22
Shire of Dardanup	\$492,880.00	39

#### Bushfire Centre for Excellence

Construction of the new BCoE has commenced with completion due in December 2020. https://www.dfes.wa.gov.au/bushfirecoe

#### DFES Region Name Changes

- District Officer Murray now District Officer Wellington
- Area Officer Harvey Hills now Area Officer Preston
- Area Officer Bunbury now Area Officer Forrest

#### DFES Regional Office Staffing

- Superintendent Peter Norman PSL due to knee replacement
- Acting Superintendent Andrew Wright
- Acting District Officer Bunbury Ian Joseph
- Acting District Officer Emergency Management Daryn Rowland
- Acting District Officer Wellington John Carter

#### Department of Fire & Emergency Services – John Carter, Acting District Officer Wellington

- DFES are planning a RUI exercise with the bushfire brigades. They will also be running an exercise with the bushfire brigade leaders.
- Burnsmart campaign will be run again this year.
- There has been a decrease in house fires over winter, however there has been an increase of lithium battery fires which is concerning.
- DFES worked with Local Government throughout COVID and will again look at operational capabilities if brigades are impacted with future outbreaks.

#### **Department of Agriculture & Food**

#### Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions - Darren Harvey

Shire of Dardanup are on schedule with planned controlled burns.

#### **WA Police**

WAPol (Australind) are still offering resources to Kalgoorlie to assist with the hard border, otherwise business has returned to normal.

#### **Western Power**

- **Main Roads WA**
- **Department of Transport**
- **Water Corporation**
- **WA Country Health Service**
- **TransWA**
- **Aqwest**
- **Atco Gas**
- **Australian Rail Group**
- St John Ambulance
- **Telstra**

#### 9. **NEW BUSINESS OF AN URGENT NATURE**

None.

#### **CLOSURE OF MEETING** 10.

The Chairperson advises that the date of the next Local Emergency Management Committee Meeting will be Wednesday 11 November 2020, commencing at 10.00am at the Shire of Dardanup -Administration Centre Eaton.

There being no further business the Chairperson declared the meeting closed at 10.40am.

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# Notice of Annual General Meeting

Procedural Information for Submission of Motions

and

Crown Perth Friday, 25 September 2020

Deadline for Agenda Items

(Close of Business)

Friday, 31 July 2020

## 2020 Local Government Convention General Information

#### **WALGA Annual General Meeting**

The Annual General Meeting for the Western Australian Local Government Association will be held from 1:30pm on Friday 25 September 2020. This event should be attended by delegates from all Member Local Governments.

#### **Cost for attending the Annual General Meeting**

Attendance at the Annual General Meeting is **free of charge** to all Member Local Governments; lunch is not provided. Delegates must register their attendance in advance.

#### **Submission of Motions**

Member Local Governments are invited to submit motions for inclusion on the Agenda for consideration at the 2020 Annual General Meeting. Motions should be submitted <u>in writing</u> to the Chief Executive Officer of WALGA.

The closing date for submission of motions is 5:00pm Friday, 31 July.

Please note that any motions proposing alterations or amendments to the Constitution of the WALGA must be received by 5:00pm Friday, 17 July 2020 in order to satisfy the 60 day constitutional notification requirements.

The following guidelines should be followed by Members in the formulation of motions:

- Motions should focus on policy matters rather than issues which could be dealt with by the WALGA State Council with minimal delay.
- Due regard should be given to the relevance of the motion to the total membership and to Local Government in general. Some motions are of a localised or regional interest and might be better handled through other forums.
- Due regard should be given to the timeliness of the motion will it still be relevant come
  the Local Government Convention or would it be better handled immediately by the
  Association?
- The likely political impact of the motion should be carefully considered.
- Due regard should be given to the educational value to Members i.e. does awareness need to be raised on the particular matter?
- The potential media interest of the subject matter should be considered.
- Annual General Meeting motions submitted by Member Local Governments must be accompanied by fully researched and documented supporting comment.

#### **Criteria for Motions**

As per the Corporate Governance Charter, prior to the finalisation of the agenda, the WALGA President and Chief Executive Officer will determine whether motions abide by the following criteria:

Motions will be included in the Business Paper agenda where they:

- 1. Are consistent with the objects of the Association (refer to clause 3 of the constitution);
- 2. Demonstrate that the issue/s raised will concern or are likely to concern a substantial number of Local Governments in WA.;
- 3. Seek to advance the Local Government policy agenda of the Association and/or improve governance of the Association;
- 4. Have a lawful purpose (a motion does not have a lawful purpose if its implementation would require or encourage non-compliance with prevailing laws);
- 5. Are clearly worded and unambiguous in nature;

Motions will not be included where they are:

6. Consistent with current Association advocacy/policy positions. (As the matter has previously considered and endorsed by the Association).

Motions of similar objective:

7. Will be consolidated as a single item.

Submitters of motions will be advised of the determinations.

Enquiries relating to the preparation or submission of motions should be directed to Margaret Degebrodt, Executive Officer Governance on (08) 9213 2036 or via email <a href="mailto:mdegebrodt@walga.asn.au">mdegebrodt@walga.asn.au</a>.

#### **Emergency Motions**

No motion shall be accepted for debate at the Annual General Meeting after the closing date unless the Association President determines that it is of an urgent nature, sufficient to warrant immediate debate, and delegates resolve accordingly at the meeting. Please refer to the AGM Standing Orders for details.

Mayor Tracey Roberts JP

**President** 

Nick Sloan

**Chief Executive Officer** 

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### **EMAIL BACK**

# Voting Delegate Information 2020 Annual General Meeting



TO: Chief Executive Officer

Registered:
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All Member Councils are entitled to be represented by two (2) voting delegates at the Annual General Meeting of the WA Local Government Association to be held on Friday 25 September 2020 at Crown Towers Perth.

Please complete and return this form to the Association by **Friday 28**, **August 2020** to register the attendance and voting entitlements of your Council's delegates to the Annual General Meeting.

In the event that a Voting Delegate is unable to attend, provision is made for proxy delegates to be registered.

Only registered delegates or proxy registered delegates will be permitted to exercise voting entitlements on behalf of Member Councils. Delegates may be Elected Members or serving officers.

<u>Please Note</u>: All Voting Delegates will need to present at the WALGA Delegate Service Desk prior to the AGM to collect their electronic voting device (keypad) for voting and identification tag to gain entry into the Annual General Meeting.

VOTING DELEGATES	PROXY Voting Delegates
Name of Voting Delegates (2):	Name of Proxy Voting Delegates (2):
For (Local Government Name): Shire/Town/City of	
Signature Chief Executive Officer  (An electronic signature is required if submitting via email)	Date

ON COMPLETION PLEASE EMAIL TO: mdegebrodt@walga.asn.au

Margaret Degebrodt, Executive Officer Governance

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НЕАІТН	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
FINANCIAL	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	W/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
SERVICE INTERRUPTION	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	W/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	W/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
REPUTATIONAL	Council's reputation may suffer if it is not involved with current issues affecting Local Government as a whole.	Minor (2)	Rare (1)	Low (1 - 4)	Not required	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.
ENVIRONMENT	No risk event identified for this category.	Not Required - No Risk Identified	N/A	N/A	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.	Not required.

