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Agenda

Annual Electors General Meeting

24 January 2024

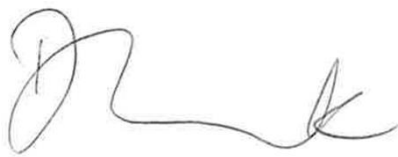


NOTICE PAPER
Annual Electors General Meeting
24 January 2024

President and Councillors

I inform you that an Annual Electors General Meeting will be held in the Council Chambers, located at 395 Fitzgerald Street, Northam on 24 January 2024 at 5:00 pm.

Yours faithfully



Debbie Terelinck
Chief Executive Officer

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1 DECLARATION OF OPENING

2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

The Shire of Northam would like to acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land on which we meet, the Ballardong and Whadjuk people of the Nyoongar nation and pay our respects to Elders, past present and emerging.

3 ATTENDANCE

3.1 ATTENDEES

Council:

Shire President

Deputy Shire President

Councillors

C R Antonio

A J Mencshelyi

J E G Williams

M P Ryan

M I Girak

L C Biglin

D A Hughes

C M Poulton

H J Appleton

Staff:

Chief Executive Officer

Executive Manager Engineering Services

Executive Manager Development Services

Executive Manager Corporate Services

Acting Executive Manager Community Services

Governance Coordinator

Governance Officer

D Terelinck

P Devcic

C B Hunt

C J Young

J R Byers

B J Hadlow

T P Van Beek

3.2 APOLOGIES

Nil.

3.3 APPROVED LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Nil.

3.4 ABSENT

Nil.

4 DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

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As defined in section 5.60A of the Local Government Act 1995, a **financial interest** occurs where a Councillor / Committee Member, or a person with whom the Councillor / Committee Member is closely associated, has a direct or indirect financial interest in the matter. That is, the person stands to make a financial gain or loss from the decision, either now or at some time in the future.

As defined in section 5.61 of the Local Government Act 1995, an **indirect financial interest** includes a reference to a financial relationship between that person and another person who requires a Local Government decision in relation to the matter.

As defined in section 5.60B of the Local Government Act 1995, a person has a **proximity interest** in a matter if the matter concerns a proposed change to a planning scheme affecting land that adjoins the person's land; or a proposed change to the zoning or use of land that adjoins the person's land; or a proposed development (as defined in section 5.63(5)) of land that adjoins the person's land.

As defined in clause 22 of the Local Government (Model Code of Conduct) Regulations 2021, an **impartiality interest** means an interest that could, or could reasonably be perceived to, adversely affect the impartiality of the person having the interest and includes an interest arising from kinship, friendship or membership of an association.

Item Name	Item No.	Name	Type of Interest	Nature of Interest

5 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

5.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MEETING HELD 25 JANUARY 2023

RECOMMENDATION

That the minutes of the Annual Electors General meeting held on Wednesday, 25 January 2023 be confirmed as a true and correct record of that meeting.

6 AGENDA ITEMS

6.1 Reveal and Adoption of the 2022/2023 Annual Report for the Shire of Northam

RECOMMENDATION

That Council accept the Shire of Northam Annual Report for the year 2022/2023, incorporating the Annual Financial Statements, Auditor's Report, President's Report and Chief Executive Officers Report.

7 GENERAL BUSINESS

7.1 Questions Submitted in Advance

Nil.

7.2 Questions from the Floor

8 DECLARATION OF CLOSURE