

# CONSULTATION SUMMARY

PROPOSED PLANNING SCHEME AMENDMENT NO. 1  
GOONDIWINDI REGION PLANNING SCHEME 2018

March 2020

## Introduction

This document has been prepared in relation to the public consultation carried out by Goondiwindi Regional Council for the proposed Amendment No. 1 to the *Goondiwindi Region Planning Scheme 2018*.

This document provides details on the background of the planning scheme and the amendment, identifies what statutory consultation was carried out for the amendment, discusses any submissions received during consultation, and what the next stage of the amendment process is.

## Background

On 14 March 2018, Goondiwindi Regional Council adopted the Goondiwindi Region Planning Scheme, which took effect on 15 March 2018.

Council resolved to prepare Amendment No. 1 to the *Goondiwindi Region Planning Scheme 2018* on 13 March 2019. The purpose of the amendment was to address some operational matters within the scheme in relation to definitions, levels of assessment and specific Acceptable Outcomes/Performance Outcomes.

## Statutory Consultation

At an Ordinary Meeting of Council held on 30 January 2020, Council resolved to progress the planning scheme amendments and proceed to public consultation in accordance with the approved communications strategy.

The proposed Amendment No. 1 to the *Goondiwindi Region Planning Scheme 2018* was placed on public consultation between Friday 7 February 2020 and Friday 6 March 2020 (21 business days). In accordance with the approved communications strategy, the following actions were undertaken:

- A public notice was placed in the Goondiwindi Argus on Wednesday 5 February 2020;
- A public notice was placed in the Macintyre Gazette on Thursday 6 February 2020;
- Hard copies of the amendment package were available for viewing in each of Council's customer service centres (Goondiwindi Civic Centre, Goondiwindi Council Chambers, Inglewood Customer Service Centre and Texas Customer Service Centre)
- A notice and the planning scheme amendment package was available for viewing on Council's website; and
- A notice was posted on Council's Facebook page about the proposed amendment and how it could be viewed.

During the consultation period there were **no submissions** received.

## Submissions

During the consultation period, Goondiwindi Regional Council received **no submissions** in relation to the proposed Amendment No. 1 to the *Goondiwindi Region Planning Scheme 2018*. Therefore, Council has not made any changes to the proposed planning scheme amendment package as a result of the public consultation, and the amendment is not significantly different to what was submitted to the Department for the State Interest Review.

## Next Stage

Goondiwindi Regional Council will now resolve to progress the amendment for the Minister's endorsement and approval to adopt.