



# **Goondiwindi Regional Council**

## **Ordinary Meeting**

### **UNCONFIRMED MINUTES**

Meeting held at the Goondiwindi Regional Council Chambers  
4 McLean Street, Goondiwindi QLD 4390

Wednesday, 26 November 2025

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**1. OPENING OF MEETING**

The Mayor, The Hon. Cr LJ Springborg AM declared the meeting open at 9.02am.

**2. ATTENDANCE AT COMMENCEMENT OF MEETING**

Mayor: Hon. Cr LJ (Lawrence) Springborg AM

Councillors: Cr RJ (Rob) Mackenzie  
Cr PG (Phil) O'Shea  
Cr SK (Susie) Kelly  
Cr JA (Julia) Spicer OAM  
Cr JN (Jason) Watts  
Cr KR (Kym) Skinner

Council Officers: Chief Executive Officer, Mr Carl Manton  
Director of Corporate and Community Services, Mr Jason Quinnell  
Director of Engineering, Mr Dion Jones  
Minutes Secretary, Ms Kim Parker  
Finance Manager, Mr Bradley Pyle

**3. OPENING PRAYER**

Reverend John Rolley from the Anglican Church Goondiwindi, delivered the Opening Prayer.

**4. DEPUTATIONS**

Nil

**5. APOLOGIES**

Nil

**6. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS**

Nil

**7. CONGRATULATIONS AND CONDOLENCES**

The Mayor extended condolences, along with the appreciation of Council, to the family of Mr Phil Gall, who served as Council's Manager of Building and Environmental Services from 23 September 2014 until 14 July 2023, and was an active member of the Goondiwindi Lions Club and the Community Gardens.

Condolences were extended to the family of Mr Ian Leavers APM, Queensland's inaugural Cross Border Commissioner. Mr Leavers was a valued friend of Council and was undertaking exemplary work in his role. His efforts were instrumental in progressing initiatives designed to improve conditions and reduce barriers for border residents.

**CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING****7.1 Ordinary Meeting of Council – 29 October 2025**

The unconfirmed Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of Council held on Wednesday, 29 October 2025, were tabled for Council's confirmation and endorsement.

**RESOLUTION OM-032/25**

*Moved: Cr KR Skinner*

*Seconded: Cr PG O'Shea*

*That the Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of Council held on Wednesday, 29 October 2025, be confirmed and adopted.*

*Carried*

**8. BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING**

Nil

**9. REPORTS – EXECUTIVE OFFICE****9.1 EX-031/25 - Water Supply Arrangement (Lot 4 on RP81144)**

In September 2024, Council considered a matter at the request of the owner of Lot 4 on RP81144 (Lot 4) being property located at 12 Old Kildonan Rd, Goondiwindi regarding the owner's application to provide an out of area water supply agreement connection to the above property and subsequent installation of a water main past his property. The owner has requested that Council revisit the matter.

**RESOLUTION OM-033/25**

*Moved: Cr JA Spicer*

*Seconded: Cr RJ Mackenzie*

*That Council resolves to delegate the Mayor and Chief Executive Officer to negotiate and resolve the matter with the owner of Lot 4 on RP81144.*

*Carried*

**9.2 General Business – Executive Officer**

Nil

**10. REPORTS – COMMUNITY AND CORPORATE SERVICES****10.1 CCS-043/25 – FINANCE REPORT PE 31 October 2025**

The Finance Report CCS-043/25 for period ending 31 October 2025 is provided for Council's endorsement.

**RESOLUTION OM-034/25**

*Moved: Cr JN Watts*

*Seconded: Cr RJ Mackenzie*

*That Council resolves to receive Finance Report CCS-043/25 for the period ending 31 October 2025.*

*Carried*

**10.2 CCS-044/25 - RADF Application – Camerata – Queensland's Chamber Orchestra**

Council is requested to consider approving the Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF) allocation for the 'Camerata Live' touring program hosted by Camerata - Queensland's Chamber Orchestra.

**RESOLUTION OM-035/25**

*Moved: Cr PG O'Shea*

*Seconded: Cr RJ Mackenzie*

*That Council resolves to approve \$9,000.00 (excl. GST) from RADF to Camerata - Queensland's Chamber Orchestra for their 'Camerata Live' touring program.*

*Carried*

**10.3 CCS-045/25 - Goondiwindi Region Local Housing Action Plan – Version 2**

Council is requested to consider the Goondiwindi Region Local Housing Action Plan - Version 2, for endorsement.

**RESOLUTION OM-036/25**

*Moved: Cr RJ Mackenzie*

*Seconded: Cr SK Kelly*

*That Council resolves to adopt the Goondiwindi Region Local Housing Action Plan – Version 2.*

*Carried*

**10.4 General Business – Corporate and Community Services**

Nil

**11. REPORTS – DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING SERVICES****11.1 ES-025/25 - Request to Upgrade North Bangalow Road**

Council has received a number of requests over the years to upgrade the level of service of North Bangalow Road from a formed to a gravel road. The portfolio holder and author met with the owner of 'Bowfield' recently and this report is to allow Council to discuss any possible upgrades to the road and possible co-contributions.

**RESOLUTION OM-037/25**

*Moved: Cr JN Watts*

*Seconded: Cr RJ Mackenzie*

*That Council resolves to delegate the Mayor, Transport Roads and Youth Portfolio Holder and Chief Executive Officer to negotiate a co-contribution funding model between Council and the owner towards the potential upgrade of approximately 2.45km of the formed North Bangalow Road to a gravel surface to the property 'Bowfield' North Bangalow Road Kindon.*

*Carried*

**11.2 ES-026/25 - Commercial in Confidence - Macintyre Sports Centre Irrigation - Budget Amendment Request**

Council has received quotes to replace the existing travelling irrigator irrigation system at the Macintyre Sports Centre with a pop up irrigation system. All quotes received exceed the amount budgeted for in this year's Capital Works Budget. Council is required to consider a request for a budget amendment for the project: Macintyre Sports Centre Irrigation System; should they wish to proceed with the project.

**RESOLUTION OM-038/25**

*Moved: Cr KR Skinner*

*Seconded: Cr RJ Mackenzie*

*That Council approve a budget of \$58,000.00 (Excl. GST) for the Inglewood Macintyre Sports Centre Irrigation to meet costs of replacing the existing travelling irrigation system with a pop-up irrigation system.*

*Carried*

**11.3 General Business – Department of Engineering Services**

Nil

**12. COUNCILLOR REPORTS**

Nil

**13. RECEPTION OF NOTICE OF MOTION FOR NEXT MEETING**

Nil

**14. ADDITIONAL CORRESPONDENCE FOR NOTING**

Nil

**15. GENERAL BUSINESS**

Nil

**16. CONFIRMATION OF DATES AND TIMES FOR FUTURE MEETINGS**

It was noted that the following meeting will be held: -

- Ordinary Meeting of Council, to be held on Wednesday 17 December 2025 commencing at 9.00am at the Council Chambers, 4 McLean Street, Goondiwindi QLD 4390.

**17. CLOSURE OF MEETING**

There being no further business, the Mayor thanked everyone for their attendance and closed the meeting at 10.09am.

Confirmed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Hon Cr LJ Springborg AM  
MAYOR

Date: \_\_\_\_\_