



Goondiwindi Regional Council

Ordinary Meeting

CONFIRMED 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: _____