# Sunshine Coast Council

# RECOMMENDATIONS

# PERFORMANCE AND SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

# **Tuesday 14 February 2012**

# **Commencing at 9.00am**

**Council Chambers, 9 Pelican Street, Tewantin** 

#### COMMITTEE MEMBERS (Quorum - 4)

Councillor C Thompson – Division 4 (Chair) Councillor R Abbot – Mayor Councillor T Dwyer – Division 2 Councillor J McKay – Division 5 Councillor C Dickson – Division 6 Councillor D Blumel – Division 8 Councillor P Tatton – Division 10 Councillor L Brennan – Division 12

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### 1 DECLARATION OF OPENING

The Chair declared the meeting opened at 9.00 am.

### 2 RECORD OF ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Councillor C Thompson Councillor R Abbot Councillor T Dwyer Councillor J McKay Councillor D Blumel Councillor P Tatton Councillor L Brennan Division 4 (Chair) Mayor (Absent Items 4.2.1 – 4.4.1) Division 2 Division 5 (Absent Item 4.1.1) Division 8 Division 10 Division 12

#### **EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP TEAM**

Chief Executive Officer Executive Director Finance Business Executive Director Infrastructure Services Executive Director Community Services

#### APOLOGIES

Councillor C Dickson Division 6

#### NON COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Councillor K Jones	Division 3 # (Items 4.1.2 – 4.2.1 only)
Councillor E Hungerford	Division 7 # (Items 4.1.1 – 4.2.1 only)
Councillor V Griffin	Division 9 # (Items 4.1.1 & 4.1.2 only)

# Non-Committee members attend meetings at their own discretion.

#### COUNCIL OFFICERS

Manager Finance Manager Economic Development Broadband and Digital Economy Manager Manager Corporate Governance Corporate Planning and Reporting Manager Manager Environmental Operations Planning Coordinator Environmental Operations Community Sports and Facility Planning Manager Creative Communities Manager

# **3 OBLIGATIONS OF COUNCILLORS**

#### 3.1 DECLARATION OF MATERIAL PERSONAL INTEREST ON ANY ITEM OF BUSINESS

Pursuant to Section 172 of the *Local Government Act 2009*, no declarations of material personal interest were made during this meeting.

#### 3.2 DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST ON ANY ITEM OF BUSINESS

Pursuant to Section 173 (2) of the *Local Government Act 2009,* no declarations of conflict of interest were made during this meeting.

### 4 **REPORTS**

#### 4.1 FINANCE AND BUSINESS

4.1.1 BUDGET DEVELOPMENT 2012/2013

File No: ECM 14 February 2012

Author: Manager Finance Finance and Business

#### **OFFICER/COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

Moved: Councillor T Dwyer Seconded: Councillor D Blumel

That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Budget Development 2012/2013"; and
- (b) endorse the option to adopt the 2012/2013 budget by 30 June 2012.

Carried.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Moved: Councillor T Dwyer Seconded: Councillor D Blumel

# That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council request the Chief Executive Officer to write to both the Minister and Shadow Minister for Local Government and Planning advocating for an October election date as part of future fixed term elections for Local Government, on the basis that an October election date allows for improved budget preparations and business planning for incoming Councils.

#### 4.1.2 FREE WI-FI TRIALS IN PUBLIC PLACES

File No:	ECM 14 February 2012
Author:	Broadband and Digital Economy Manager Finance and Business
Attachment:	Att 1 - Sunshine Coast Free WiFi providers (PSC Att Pg 3)

#### **OFFICER/COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

Moved: Councillor L Brennan Seconded: Councillor J McKay

That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Free WiFi Trials in Public Places";
- (b) subject to the procurement of a suitable private Wi-Fi partner and the identification of the required funding through the budget review process, authorise the Chief Executive Officer to establish a free Wi-Fi internet access trial in public places for one year, with the trial sites being located at:
  - (i) Mooloolaba Esplanade;
  - (ii) Gympie Terrace, Noosaville;
  - (iii) Kings Beach, Caloundra;
  - (iv) Montville township; and
- (c) authorise the Chief Executive Officer to commission an independent evaluation of the free Wi-Fi internet access trial after one year from its commencement, with the results of the evaluation and projected cost estimates to be reported to council for consideration prior to the continuation of the service at the trial sites and any extension of the trial to other locations.

#### 4.1.3 PROPOSED AMENDMENT SUBORDINATE LOCAL LAW NO. 1 (PARKING) 2012

File No:	ECM 14 February 2012
Author:	Manager Corporate Governance Finance and Business
Attachment:	Att 1 - Amendment Subordinate Local Law No 1 (Parking) 2012 (PSC Att Pg 5)

#### OFFICER RECOMMENDATION

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Proposed Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012";
- (b) resolve to propose to make Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012;
- (c) resolve, in relation to Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012, to adjust its process for making local laws resolved on 1 June 2010 pursuant to section 29(1) of the Local Government Act 2009, by excluding community consultation for the following reasons:
  - the amendments reduce the penalty infringement notice amount for certain parking offences and therefore do not negatively impact on residents of the Sunshine Coast Regional Council area;
- (d) resolve that proposed Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012 has been reviewed in accordance with section 38 of the Local Government Act 2009 and that, taking into consideration the circumstances of the Sunshine Coast Regional Council area, the law does not contain any possible anti-competitive provisions. The subordinate local law relates to the regulation of parking and does not relate to a commercial activity; and
- (e) accordingly resolve to make Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Moved: Councillor T Dwyer Seconded: Councillor L Brennan

That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Proposed Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012";
- (b) resolves to propose to make Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012 as detailed in Attachment 1 with the following amendments to the new Schedule 4 inserted by section 3, which relate to the infringement notice penalty amounts detailed in Column 2 for section 106 and section 205 offences:

Column 1 Minor traffic offence	Column 2 Infringement notice penalty
*Paid parking offences provided for in section 106 (Paid parking offences) of the Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995.	3/10 penalty unit
The offence provided for section 205 (parking for longer than indicated) of the Transport Operations (Road Use Management – Road Rules) Regulation 2009	1/2 penalty unit

- (c) resolves in relation to Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012 (as amended in (b) above), to adjust its process for making local laws resolved on 1 June 2010 pursuant to section 29(1) of the Local Government Act 2009, by excluding community consultation for the following reasons:
  - (i) the amendments reduce the penalty infringement notice amount for certain parking offences and therefore do not negatively impact on residents of the Sunshine Coast Regional Council area;
- (d) resolves that proposed Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012 (as amended in (b) above) has been reviewed in accordance with section 38 of the Local Government Act 2009 and that, taking into consideration the circumstances of the Sunshine Coast Regional Council area, the law does not contain any possible anti-competitive provisions. The subordinate local law relates to the regulation of parking and does not relate to a commercial activity; and
- (e) accordingly resolves to make Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Parking) 2012 as amended in (b) above.

#### 4.1.4 QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT - QUARTER 2, 2011-2012

File No:	4.16.4
Author:	Corporate Planning and Reporting Manager Finance and Business
Appendices:	App A - CEO Quarterly Progress Report (PSC Att Pg 9) App B - Operational Plan Activities (PSC Att Pg 50)
Attachment:	Att 1 - Legal Proceedings Report (confidential) (PSC Conf Att Pg 3)

#### **OFFICER/COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

Moved:	Councillor D Blumel
Seconded:	Councillor L Brennan

That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Quarterly Progress Report Quarter 2, 2011-2012";
- (b) note the Chief Executive Officer's Quarterly Progress Report Quarter 2, 1 October 2011 to 31 December 2011 (Appendix A); and
- (c) note the Operational Plan Activities Report Quarter Ended December 2011 (Appendix B) reporting on the implementation of the Corporate and Operational Plans.

#### 4.2 INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

#### 4.2.1 ENVIRONMENTAL FUNCTIONS - OPERATIONAL SERVICE LEVELS

File No: ECM 14 February 2012

Author:Manager Environmental Operations<br/>Infrastructure ServicesAppendix:App A - Environmental Functions Operational Service Levels<br/>Review (PSC Att Pg 93)

#### **OFFICER/COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

Moved: Councillor J McKay Seconded: Councillor P Tatton

That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Environmental Functions Operational Service Levels";
- (b) endorse the defined operational service levels for each of the environmental functions (Appendix A); and
- (c) note a future report will be presented that outlines the current state of assets managed by Environmental Operations as a component of the asset management plan presentations in the forthcoming budget.

#### 4.3 COMMUNITY SERVICES

#### 4.3.1 BALLINGER PARK SPORTS COMPLEX MASTER PLAN

File No: ECM 14 February 2012

 Author:
 Community Sport and Facility Planning Manager

 Community Sports and Facility Planning Unit - Senior Project

 Officer,

 Community Services

 Appendix:
 App A - Ballinger Sports Complex Masterplan Final (PSC Att Pg

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Moved: Councillor L Brennan Seconded: Councillor P Tatton

That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Ballinger Park Sports Complex Master Plan";
- (b) adopt the Ballinger Park Sports Complex Master Plan (Appendix A) and implement future stages of development for the Ballinger Park Sports Complex in accordance with the revised master plan, subsequent development priorities as outlined within this report, successful application of external funding and councils annual budget process including ten year capital works program; and
- (c) present the Ballinger Park Sports Complex Master Plan and prioritised staged implementation to the relevant sporting and recreation user groups and wider community.

#### 4.3.2 ARTS INDUSTRY INCUBATORS FEASIBILITY STUDY REPORT

File No:	ECM 14 February 2012
Author:	Creative Communities Manager Community Services
Appendix:	App A - Arts Incubation Costed Implementation Strategy (PSC Att Pg 205) App B - Sunshine Coast Arts Industry Incubators Report (PSC Att Pg 215)

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That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Arts Industry Incubators Feasibility Study Report";
- (b) receive and note the consultant report titled "Arts Industry Incubators Feasibility Study - Costed Implementation Strategy (Appendix A); and
- (c) receive and note the consultant report titled "Sunshine Coast Arts Incubators Feasibility Study Report" (Appendix B)
- (d) refer the initiative to the 2012/2013 budget development process for funding consideration.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Moved: Councillor L Brennan Seconded: Councillor J McKay

That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Arts Industry Incubators Feasibility Study Report";
- (b) receive and note the consultant report titled "Arts Industry Incubators Feasibility Study – Costed Implementation Strategy (Appendix A);
- (c) receive and note the consultant report titled "Sunshine Coast Arts Incubators Feasibility Study Report" (Appendix B);
- (d) refer the initiative to the 2012/2013 budget development process for funding consideration; and
- (e) recognise linkages between community services, strategic planning and economic development in regard to the Creative Industry initiatives.

#### 4.4 EXECUTIVE OFFICE

#### 4.4.1 AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT 30 JANUARY 2012

File No:	ECM 14 February 2012
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Author: Manager Audit and Assurance Executive Office

Appendix: App A - Audit Committee Minutes 300112 (PSC Att Pg 269)

#### OFFICER RECOMMENDATION

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Audit Committee Report 30 January 2012";
- (b) note and implement the recommendations from the Audit Committee Minutes 30 January 2012 (Appendix A); and
- (c) acknowledge and thank the professional external members of the Audit Committee for their contribution during this term of council.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

#### Moved: Councillor T Dwyer

#### Seconded: Councillor C Thompson

# That the Performance and Service Committee recommend to Council for its consideration at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Wednesday 22 February 2012:

That Council:

- (a) receive and note the report titled "Audit Committee Report 30 January 2012";
- (b) note and implement the recommendations from the Audit Committee Minutes 30 January 2012 (Appendix A);
- (c) acknowledge and thank the professional external members of the Audit Committee for their contribution during this term of council and thank also the internal audit team; and
- (d) request the Chief Executive Officer to provide regular written reports to Council on strategic risk as identified to the Audit Committee.

# 5 CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS

Nil.

# 6 NEXT MEETING

Nil.

# 7 MEETING CLOSURE

The meeting closed at 11.56 am.