

NOTICE OF MOTION**SUBMITTED BY COUNCILLOR:** Cr Jason O'Pray**COUNCIL MEETING:** Ordinary Meeting

I hereby notify of my intention to move the following motion at the Ordinary Meeting to take place on Thursday 11 December 2014:

That Council authorise the Chief Executive Officer to:

- (a) Provide owner's consent for the lodging of a permit application by Paradise Seaplanes for Commercial Use of Community Controlled Land;
- (b) Accept Paradise Seaplanes' application for a permit to allow Commercial Use of Community Controlled Land at Bradman Avenue, Maroochydore; and
- (c) Issue Paradise Seaplanes with a permit for Commercial Use of Community Controlled Land at Bradman Avenue, Maroochydore, for a temporary three (3) month period, subject to reasonable and appropriate conditions.



24 November 2014

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Councillor Jason O'Pray.....
Date**To all Councillors and Executive Directors**

I hereby notify that Cr Jason O'Pray intends to move the motion as shown above at the Ordinary Meeting to be held on Thursday 11 December 2014.


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Chief Executive Officer24/11/14
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Date

COUNCILLOR COMMENT

Mr Shawn Kelly of Paradise Seaplanes proposes to relocate his tourism business to the Sunshine Coast, and conducting seaplane adventure flights from the Maroochy River.

On 22 July 2014, the Queensland Government (Maritime Safety) issued approval for Mr Kelly to take off and land below high water mark of the Maroochy River. This means that Mr Kelly is permitted to take off from and land on the Maroochy River – Council has no jurisdiction over this.

Paradise Seaplanes require a permit from Council to use a small area of public open space on Bradman Avenue Maroochydore, to:

- *Brief passengers on the use of life vests;*
- *Collect money and payments for adventure flights; and*
- *Embark and disembark passengers from the riverbank/foreshore*

These adventure flights would provide the Sunshine Coast with another tourist attraction or unique activity for local residents to enjoy.

Issuing a temporary permit for the business to operate from this location will enable Council to obtain genuine feedback from local residents and river users.